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ADVERTISEMENT.

THE favourable Reception which this Work has met with, encourages the Proprietors to give an improved Edition of it upon the present enlarged plan. With a view to remove every objection which could reasonably be made to the former edition, the Pedigrees are now traced back to the earliest times, the collateral Branches are much extended, and the Dates every where corrected with the utmost accuracy: In order to do this in the most effectual manner, recourse has been had to Records, authentic family Manuscripts, and other such Authorities: In no one instance, whatever, has application, personal or by letter, been neglected.

From the assistance of so great a variety of materials, with which the proprietors have, from time to time, been favoured, and from the numerous addition of late years to the Peerage, they have been enabled to render this Work the most correct and useful of any on the subject.

Such, however, is the nature of works of this kind, that inaccuracies will unavoidably creep in, which no attention can prevent: In a few instances, sufficient information, after repeated applications, has not been obtained; but the reader, it is hoped, will find ample amends for an accidental deficiency, from the general accuracy and copiousness of the present edition.

A D V E R T I S E M E N T

The following alterations happened, and corrections were received, while the work was printing.

NORFOLK. Page 1. Edward, Duke of Norfolk, died Sept. 20, 1777, and was succeeded by Charles Howard, of Greystock, now Duke of Norfolk, whose pedigree and issue is there deduced. See page 11.

Devonshire. P. 55, l. 9 from the bottom. Catharine, Duchess Dowager of Devonshire, died May 8, 1777.

Chandos. P. 87, l. 9, add, and his Grace married, secondly, June 21, 1777, the Widow of the late Gov. Elletson.

P. 91, l. 3. Lady Caroline Leigh, sister to the Duke of Chandos, had a son, James-Henry, born Jan. 8, 1765.

Same page, l. 7. Lady Augusta Bridges, sister of the above Lady, married, Jan. 20, 1778, to Henry John Kearney, Esq.

Dorset. P. 96, l. 2. The Lady of Lord George Germain; died Jan. 15, 1778, having had issue; Charles, born Aug. 27, 1767; Diana, born July 8, 1756; Elizabeth, born July 4, 1762; and Caroline, born June 30, 1764.

Bridgewater. P. 100, l. 8. from the bottom. Lady Rachel Ruffel, Duchess Dowager of Bridgewater, died May 22, 1777.

Suffolk. P. 145, l. 3 from the bottom, after Countess add, dying, Jan. 9, 1777, he married, secondly, Aug. 11, 1777, Lady Charlotte Finch, sister to the Earl of Aylesford.

P. 149, l. 11 from the bottom. Lady Mary Finch, Countess Dowager of Suffolk, died May 28, 1777.

Westmorland. P. 169, l. 16 from the bottom. Lady Mary Blair, had a son Thomas, born in Jan. 1768.

Same page, l. 17 from the bottom, read, 2. Henry, who married, Jan. 12, 1778, Miss Barfon.

Same page, l. 8 from the bottom, read two daughters, Lady Susan, born Oct. 3, 1768, and Lady Elizabeth, born Jan. 7, 1773.

Chesterfield. P. 184, l. 15, add, The Earl married, Sept. 16, 1777, Miss Ann Thistlethwayte, of Titherley in Hampshire.

Shaftesbury

Shaftsbury. P. 202, l. 14. add, also a daughter, Lady Mary Anne, born Dec. 30, 1766.

Gainsborough. P. 213, l. 9, from the bottom, Lady Louisa Mann died Feb. 23, 1778.

Ferrers. Page 241, l. 11 from the bottom. For *unmarried*, read, married to Miss Elliot of Plymouth.

Gower. P. 283, l. 7. Lady Louisa married, Dec. 27, 1777, Archibald Macdonald, Esq. brother to Lord Macdonald.

Fitzwilliam. P. 289, l. 24. Lady Charlotte Dundas has two sons; Lawrence, born April 10, 1776, and William, born in May, 1776.

Egremont. P. 295, l. 26, instead of Lord Romney, read, the Hon. Charles Marsham, son of Lord Romney.

Hertford. P. 301, l. 23. Lady Sarah Frances Stewart, died July 30, 1770, and left one son Robert.

P. 302, l. 10. after four sons, add, and one daughter.

P. 302, l. 13. Anne married, June '4, 1767, John Damer, eldest son of Lord Milton; the two other sons died infants and their sister Anne, &c.

Delaware. P. 316, l. 7, add, and the Earl dying Nov. 22, 1777, was succeeded by his son William, the present Earl.

Northington. P. 321, l. 5. Lady Catherine married, March 17, 1777, to Lord Deerhurst, son of the Earl of Coventry.

Bathurst. P. 326, l. 3, read, by whom he has issue,
1. Tryphena, born Oct. 23, 1760. 2. Henry, born May 22, 1762. 3. Catharine, born, June, 1764. 4. Letitia, born June 3, 1766. 5. Susannah, born Feb. 3, 1768. 6. Apsley, born Oct. 14, 1769.

Montagu. P. 334, l. 20, read, he has a daughter, Elizabeth Mary.

Courtney. P. 351, l. 5 from the bottom, add, 5. William, born July 30, 1768. 6. Lucy, born June 13, 1770.

Clifford, &c. P. 364, l. 6, read, by whom he had Edward, born June, 20, 1768; Robert Campbell, born, April 20, 1770; Henry, born March 30, 1773; John, born Oct. 19, 1774; Mary, born Sept. 15, 1766; Catharine, born, Sept. 19, 1768; Sophia, born June 10, 1771; Elizabeth, born June 11, 1776; Henrietta, born, May 19, 1777.

De Ferrers. P. 374, l. 14, add, his lordship married, Dec. 24, 1777, Charlotte, second Daughter and co-heir
of

of Eton Mainwaring Ellirker, of Risby-park, in York-shire, Esq.

Paget. P. 387, l. 12 from the bottom, for *two sons*, read, has three sons: Henry-William, born March 17, 1761; William, born Dec. 22, 1769; and Arthur, born Jan. 15, 1770.

Craven. P. 407, l. 4 from the bottom, add, and also another daughter, born Aug. 26, 1769.

Archer. P. 435, l. 6, add, also three daughters; Sarah, born July 9, 1762; Anne-Elizabeth, and Maria.

Camden. P. 456. Read, 2. Frances, who married, June 3, 1775, Robert Steward, Esq.



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Cleveland Earl



Richmond



Grafton



Beaufort

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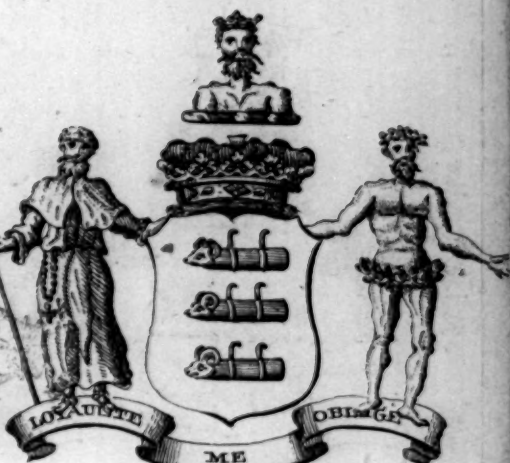
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Newcastle Extinct

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Huntingdon



Pembroke



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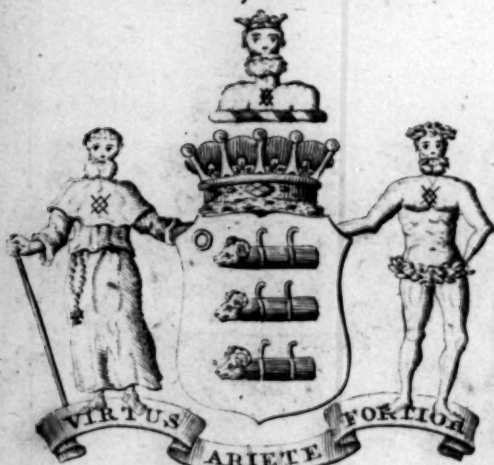
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Holderness



Plymouth



Scarborough



Rochford



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Coventry

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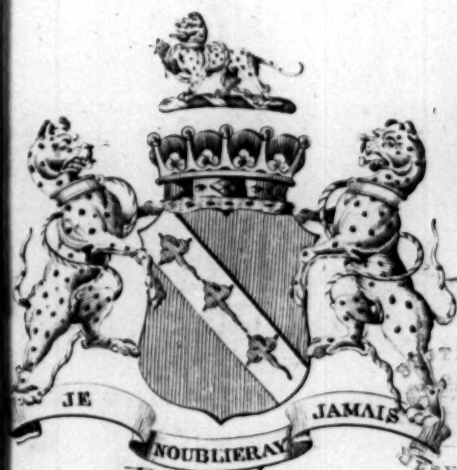
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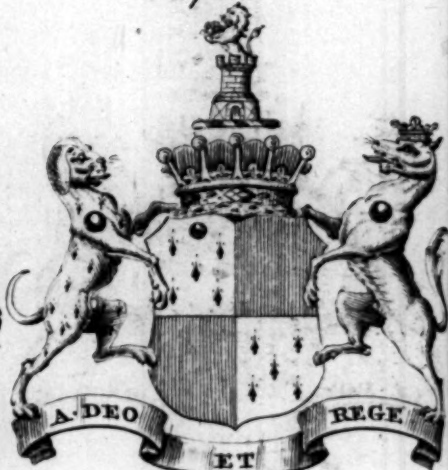
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Waldegrave



Ashburnham



Effingham



Orford



Harrington

*Portsmouth**Warwick**Gower**Buckinghamshire**Fitz William**Powys*



Egremont



Temple



Harcourt



Hertford



Guildford



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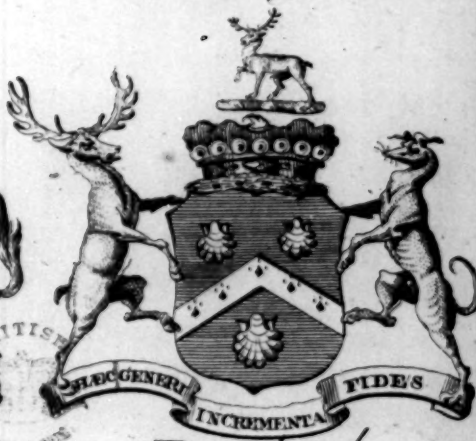
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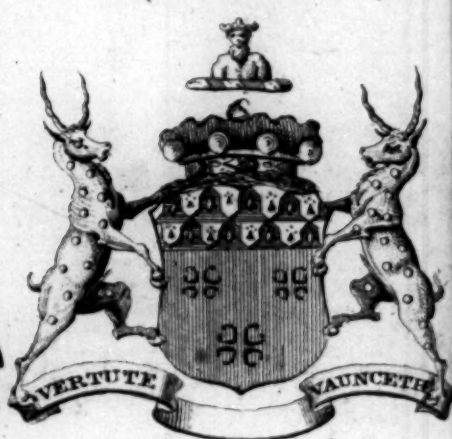
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Willoughby of Parham



St. John



Petre



Arundel of Wardour



Dormer



Teynham

*Leigh**Byron**Langdale**Berkeley of Skatton Esq.**Delamere Esq.**Aundel of Tierice Esq.*



Craven



Clifford



Middleton



Visc. Hampden



Masham Esq.



Earl Bathurst

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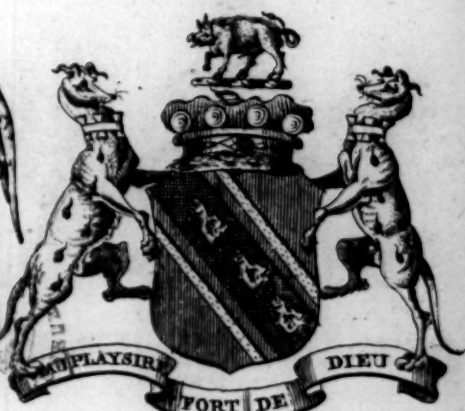
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Earl of Aylesbury

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Lyttelton



Sculley



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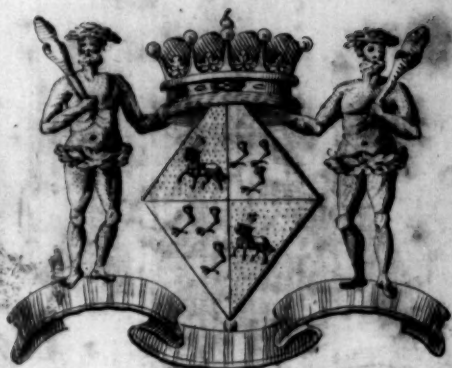


Amherst

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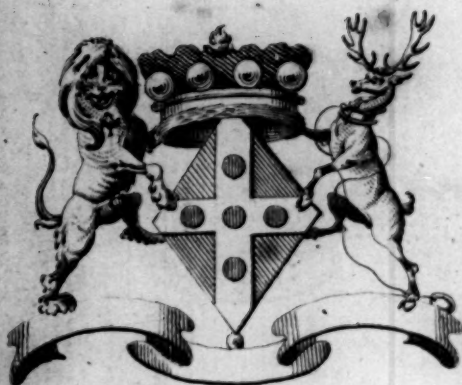
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The Arms of the rest of the Peers of England are to be found in the Peerage of Scotland or Ireland, as they have higher titles in those kingdoms.

I N T R O.

INTRODUCTION.

TH E eldest sons of the kings of England are Dukes of Cornwall by inheritance, and have precedence of all other Dukes by Act of Parliament, as well as by charter: the king's other sons, his brothers, uncles, nephews, or his brothers and sisters sons, being princes of the blood royal, have precedency of all other Dukes.

DUKE OF CORNWALL.

TH E most high, puissant and most illustrious Prince, **GEORGE AUGUSTUS FREDERICK**, Prince of GREAT-BRITAIN, Prince of WALES, electoral prince of Brunswick-Lunenburg, duke of Cornwall and Rothesay, earl of Chester and Carrick, baron of Renfrew, lord of the Isles, great steward of Scotland.

His royal highness was born Aug. 12, 1762, and on the seventeenth of the same month his Majesty ordered letters patent for creating him Prince of Wales and earl of Chester; the other titles his Royal Highness enjoys by inheritance.

Frederick, Prince of Wales, and Duke of Cornwall, eldest son of his late Majesty King George II. was born Jan. 20, 1707, and married April, 27, 1736, Augusta, daughter of Frederick II. Duke of Saxe-Gotha, and his Royal Highness departing this life March 20, 1751, left issue,

1. Augusta, born July 31, 1737, and married Jan. 1764, to Charles William Ferdinand, Hereditary Prince of Brunswick Wolfenbuttle.

2. George-William-Frederick, born May 24, 1738, who succeeded his grandfather, George II. Oct. 25, 1760.

3. Edward-Augustus Duke of York, born March 14, 1739, and died Sept. 17, 1767.

4. Elizabeth Caroline, born Dec. 23, 1740, and died Sept. 4, 1759.

5. William Henry, Duke of Gloucester.

6. Henry Frederick, Duke of Cumberland.

7. Louisa Anne, born March 8, 1749, and died May 13, 1768.

8. Frederick William, born May 13, 1750, and died Dec. 31, 1765.

9. Caroline Matilda, born July 11, 1751, and married Oct. 1, 1766, to Christian VII. King of Denmark, and died in 1775.

ARMS.]

INTRODUCTION.

Arms.] Are those of his majesty, differenced by a label of three points, *argent*, in chief.

CREST.] On a crown of one arch, composed of crosses pattee, fleurs-de-lis, and strawberry leaves, a lion of England, crowned with a like crown, and charged on the breast with a label as in the arms.

SUPPORTERS.] Are those of his majesty, the lion crowned as the crest, and both gorged with a label of three points. **MOTTO.** *Ich Dien.*

DUKE OF GLOUCESTER.

THE most illustrious Prince WILLIAM HENRY, Duke of GLOUCESTER and EDINBURGH, in Great-Britain, and earl of Connaught in Ireland, was born Nov. 25, 1743, and was created duke and earl as above, Nov. 17, 1774. He was married Sept. 6, 1776, at her ladyship's house in Pall-Mall, by the Rev. Robert Morton her domestic chaplain, to Maria Countess Dowager of Waldegrave, daughter of Sir Edward Walpole, Knight of the Bath, by whom he has had

Sophia Matilda, born May 29, 1773.

Caroline Augusta Maria, born June 24, 1774, died March 14, 1775.

William Frederick, born at Rome, Jan. 15, 1776.

Arms, Crest, and Supporters.] The same as those of his majesty, differenced with a label of points, *argent*, the middle point charged with a fleur-de-lis, *azure*, the other four with a cross, *gules*.

DUKE OF CUMBERLAND.

THE most illustrious Prince HENRY FREDERICK, Duke of CUMBERLAND and STRATHERN in Great-Britain, earl of Dublin in Ireland, was born, Oct. 26, 1745, and was created duke and earl as above, Oct. 18, 1766. He married in Nov. 1771, Anne daughter of Simon Lord Irnham, widow of Christopher Horton, of Catton, in Derbyshire, Esq.

Arms, Crest, and Supporters.] The same as the Duke of Gloucester, differenced by a label.



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DUKES.

HOWARD, DUKE OF NORFOLK.

THE most noble Prince EDWARD HOWARD, Duke of NORFOLK, Earl Marshal, and hereditary Earl Marshal of England, Earl of Arundel, Surry, Norfolk, and Norwich, Baron of Mowbray, Howard, Segrave, Brewse of Gower, Fitz-Alan, Warren, Clun, Oswaldestre, Maltravers, Greystock, Furnival, Verdon, Lovetot, Strange of Blackmere, and Howard of Castlerising, Premier Duke, Earl, and Baron of England next the blood royal, and chief of the family of the Howards, succeeded his brother Thomas, the late Duke, December 23, 1732; and married, Nov. 6, 1727, Mary daughter of Edward Blount, late of Blagdon, in Devonshire, Esq; Her Grace died May 29, 1773, without issue.

This noble and illustrious Family is descended from WILLIAM HOWARD, Judge of the Court of C. Pleas, who had Summons amongst the rest of the Judges to several Parliaments held in the reigns of Edward I. and II. He married Alice daughter of Sir Edward Fitton, and was succeeded by Sir John his son, who served K. Edward II. in his wars against the Scots and French, and died in 1331, the 5th of Edward III. He married Joan daughter of John de Cornwall, and was succeeded by Sir John his son, who in 10 Edward III. was Admiral of the King's fleet, and a Knight Banneret, and assisted at the siege of Calais.

Edw. & P. of Norfolk died 20 Sept. 1771 and was succeeded by Cha. Howard of Greystock.

DUKE OF NORFOLK.

lais. He married Alice, daughter and heir of Sir Robert de Boys, and was succeeded by Sir Robert his son, who, in 2 Richard II. was committed to the tower, for detaining Margaret, de Norfolk, from Alice Lady Nevil, her grandmother; and dying in 1389, 12 Richard II. left issue by Margaret, daughter to Robert Lord Scales, another Sir John, who was retained to serve King Richard II. for life; and he marrying to his first wife Margaret, daughter and heir to Sir John Plaize, of Tofts in Norfolk, Knt. by her had a son Sir John, who dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Joan, daughter of Sir Richard Walton, Knt. Elizabeth his sole daughter and heir, who married John Vere, Earl of Oxford, by whom the title of Lord Scales went into that family; but the said Sir John, Father of this last Sir John, marrying to his second wife Alice, daughter and heir to Sir William Tendering, of Tenderinghall in Suffolk, Knt. by her had Sir Robert his heir and successor. He married Margaret, eldest daughter and co-heir of Thomas de Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, * (Son of John Lord Mowbray of Axholme, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and co-heir to John Lord Segrave, by Margaret his wife, Duchess of Norfolk, eldest of the two daughters and co-heirs of Thomas de Brotherton †, Earl of Norfolk, 5th son to King Edward I. but eldest by his second wife Margaret, daughter to Philip the Hardy, King of France) and by her had Sir John his heir, and a daughter Catharine, who was the second wife of Edward Nevil, the 1st Lord Abergavenny, and the said Sir Robert dying in his father's life-time, the said (1st D.) SIR JOHN his son succeeded his grandfather. In the 12 of Edw. IV. he was summoned to Parliament among the Barons of England. In the 18th of Edward IV. he was made Constable of the Tower of London, and the next year, Captain General of the King's fleet against the Scots, and Knt. of the Garter. On the 28th of June 1483, he was made Earl Marshal

* On the 12th of February, 1386, 9 R. II. Thomas de Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, had granted by Patent to him and the heirs of his body, the office of Earl Marshal of England (being the first, for before this time they were only Marshals) with an Union of the office of Marshal in the Courts of King's Bench and Exchequer, and Marshal Cryer before the Steward and Marshal of the King's Household; and on that account he and his heirs should bear a Golden Truncheon, enamelled with black at each end, having the King's arms engraven at the upper, and his own at the lower end.

† Thomas de Brotherton, was so named from Brotherton, a Village in Yorkshire, where he was born: and his wife, mother of the said Margaret, was daughter to Sir Roger Halys, of Harwich, in the county of Essex, Knt. and his said daughter was created Duchess of Norfolk for life, Sept. 29, 1398, 2 R. II.

Marshall of England, and created duke of Norfolk, and at the coronation of King Richard III. was High Steward of England for the day. He was then likewise made Lord High Admiral of England, Ireland, and Aquitain, for life; but the next year being placed in the front of the king's army at Bosworth Field, was there slain with the King, Aug. 22, 1485, and was attainted the 1st Henry VII. He married 1st Catharine, daughter to Richard Lord Molines, and by her had Thomas his heir, and four daughters, Anne, married to Sir Edward Gorges, Knt. Isabel, to Sir Robert Mortimer, Knt. Jane to Sir John Timperly, Knt. and Margaret, to Sir John Windham, Knt. ancestor of the Earl of Egremont, and by his 2d wife, Margaret, daughter to Sir John Chedworth, Knt. he had a daughter Catharine, married to John Bouchier, Lord Berners.

(2d D.) THOMAS his heir was Esquire of the body to King Edward IV. and was retained to serve him in his wars, and in the 1st of Richard III. at the time his father was made a Duke, was created Earl of Surry, and though he took part with that King, being taken prisoner at Bosworth, yet after above three years imprisonment in the Tower, did King Henry VII. receive him into favour, and made him one of his Privy Council, and in the 4th of that reign, he was restored to his title of E. of Surry. In the 15th Hen. VII. he attended the King and Queen to Calais, the next year he was made Lord High Treasurer of England, and afterwards Knt. of the Garter. In the first Hen. VIII. he was again appointed one of the Privy Council and Lord High Treasurer; and the next year was made Earl-Marshall of England for life. In 4th Henry VIII. he was with that King at the taking of Therouenne and Tournay; and afterwards being sent General against the Scots, routed their army at Flodden-Field, where King James IV. was slain (in this battle, his Son Thomas, Lord High Admiral attended him, and his other son Edmund led the van) and for that signal service, had a special grant from the King to himself and the heirs males of his body, of an honourable augmentation of his arms, viz. to bear on a bend in an escutcheon, the upper half of a red lion, (depicted as the arms of Scotland) pierced through the mouth with an arrow, together with a grant of 29 Manors. He was also advanced to the dignity of Duke of Norfolk, which title John his father (deriving his descent through the heirs female of Mowbray, and Segrave, from Thomas of Brotherton) did enjoy; and the next year had a new patent for the office of Lord Treasurer; and dying in 1524, was buried at Thetford. He

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married to his first wife, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Sir Frederick Tilney, Kt. and widow of Humphrey Bouchier, Lord Berners, and by her had eight sons and three daughters, whereof Elizabeth was married to Thomas Visc. Rochford, afterwards Earl of Wiltshire and Ormond, and was mother of Anna Bullen; Muriel, first, to John Grey Visc. Lisle, and secondly to Sir Thomas Knivet, Kt. and Mary, to Henry ⁸ Fitzroy Duke of Richmond, natural son of King Henry VIII. ⁸ And by his second wife, Agnes, daughter of Hugh, and sister and heir to Sir Philip Tilney, Knt. he had four sons, and four daughters; of which, Anne was married to John Vere Earl of Oxford; Dorothy, to Edward Stanley, Earl of Derby: Elizabeth, to Henry Fitzwalter Earl of Suffex; and Catharine first to Sir Rhese ap Thomas, and after to Henry Daubeney, Earl of Bridgewater. Of the sons by the 2d marriage, which were Lords William, Thomas, George and Richard, the eldest was created Baron Howard of Effingham; and the 2d having married the Lady Margaret Douglas, daughter to Margaret Queen of Scots, by the Earl of Angus and Niece to King Henry, was attainted of treason, upon suspicion of aspiring to the crown, and died in the Tower, the 29th of Elizabeth. Of the sons, by Elizabeth Tilney, his first wife, which were Lords, Thomas, Edward, Edmund, Henry, John, Charles, Henry and Richard, the five latter died young; but Lord Edmund was Marshal of horse in the battle of Flodden-Field 5th Henry VIII. He married to his 2d wife a daughter of Thomas Troys, Esq; by whom he had no issue; but by his 1st wife, who was Joyce, daughter to Sir Richard Colepepper, of Hollingbourne in Kent, Knt. he had three sons and five daughters. Of the daughters, Margaret married Sir Thomas Arundel, Knt. (grandfather to Thomas, the 1st Lord Arundel of Wardour) Catharine was 5th wife of King Henry VIII. Mary married Edmund Trafford, Esq; Joyce to John Stanney, Esq; and Isabel, to — Baynton, Esq; and the sons which were Henry, Sir George and Sir Charles, all died without issue. Lord Edward the 2d son, by Elizabeth Tilney, his first wife, was a person of the greatest account of his time, and was Knt. of the garter. In the 7th of Henry VII. he was in the expedition made into Flanders, in behalf of Maximilian the Emperor: in the 1st of Henry VIII. he was made standard-bearer to that king, as in the 4th Lord High Admiral of England, at which time he convoyed the Marquis of Dorset into Spain, in aid of the Emperor Ferdinand, against the French; and having with his fleet cleared the seas from enemies, he landed in Bretany,

xxx It has been asserted that 2^d Mary Howard D^{ch} of Richmond was the sister of Hen. the poetical C of Surrey in that case, she must have been daughter of Hen. 3^d of which it will also make her age more suitable to the D. of Richmond who died in 1536. aged 17

did great execution in the country, and brought away rich spoils; he likewise fought and took Sir Andrew Barton the famous Scottish pirate, 3d of Henry VIII. but afterwards resolving to attempt the French in their harbours, he entered a galley and boarded the Admiral of the French gallies; but the grapplings giving way, the gallies sheered asunder, and left him in the hands of his enemies; when in the heat of the action he was thrown over-board, and died without issue, the 5th of Henry VIII. having married Alice, Sister to Henry Lovel, Lord Morley, widow of Sir William Parker, Knt. Having done with the younger branches, I now proceed with

(3d D.) THOMAS eldest son by Elizabeth Tilney the 1st wife. In the 5th Henry VIII. upon the death of the Lord Edward his brother, being then Knt. of the garter, he was constituted Lord Admiral in his stead. Upon the invasion of K. James IV. of Scotland, he landed a veteran troop of 5000 men, and joined his father, the Earl of Surry, then General of the English army; and sent a message to that king to justify Sir Andrew Barton's death. At the battle of Flodden-Field, with his younger brother Sir Edmund, he commanded the vanguard, where he behaved himself with exceeding gallantry; and seeing his said brother in distress, came with Sir Edward Stanley to his succour. In consideration of which great services, he in the said 5th Henry VIII. was created Earl of Surry; and upon a dispute in parliament concerning his place there, it was declared, that he should sit according to his creation, and not as a duke's eldest son. In the 12th Henry VIII. he was constituted Lord Deputy of Ireland, where he suppressed the irruption of the O'Neals and O'Carols; afterwards he performed many signal services in France, and was constituted Lord High Treasurer of England, and made general of the King's whole army, designed to march against the Scots; and all in his father's lifetime. Upon his father's death, 1524, he was again made general of the army raised to advance into Scotland, in order to set the young king free, whom the duke of Albany kept at Stirling, and afterwards attended K. Henry into France. He was likewise sent Ambassador to the King of France, to attend him to Nice, and commune with the Pope on his delay, touching King Henry's divorce from Queen Catherine, and in the 5th Henry VIII. he was appointed Earl Marshal of England and Viceroy of Ireland. In the 18th Henry VIII. he marched to the assistance of the Earl of Shrewsbury, towards suppressing that memorable insurrection in Yorkshire, called the Pilgrimage of Grace: but after all these great services and honourable charges,

by the insinuating persuasions of some of the nobility, who bore him no good-will, the King was so far misled and incensed against him, that he not only commanded him prisoner to the tower, but gave orders for seizing his goods, and gave notice to his ambassadors abroad, that he and his son had conspired to take upon them the government during his life, and after his death, to get the prince into their hands; for which, being both attainted in Parliament, his son lost his head, and the Duke had fared but little better, had not the death of the king prevented it. And so implacable was the malice of his enemies, that though a pardon was given by proclamation, at the beginning of the reign of Edward VI. to all persons for what crimes soever; yet was he, with five others, particularly excepted, and continued prisoner till discharged by Q. Mary, in 1553. He married first Anne, daughter to K. Edward IV. by whom he had a son Thomas, who died young; and by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Stafford Duke of Buckingham, he had two sons, Henry and Thomas; of which, Henry was Earl of Surry, and was beheaded as abovementioned; but Thomas the 2d son was restored in blood, the 1st Queen Mary, and in the 1st Elizabeth advanced to the title of Visc. Howard of Bindon, in the County of Dorset. He married first Elizabeth, youngest daughter and coheir to John Lord Marrey, of Bindon; 2dly, Gertrude daughter to Sir William Lyte of Lyte's Cary in the county of Somerset, Knt. 3dly, Mabel daughter to Nicholas Burton of Carshalton, in the county of Surry, Esq; and 4thly Margaret, daughter to Henry Manning, Esq; by the 3d, he had a daughter Frances, who was first married to Henry Pranel, Vintner of London; 2dly, to Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford; and lastly, to Lodowick Stuart, Duke of Lenox. By his 2d, he had one son Charles Lyte, alias Howard, and a daughter Grace married to Mildmay the second Earl of Westmoreland, and the said Charles Lyte had a daughter Anne married to Sir William Thorneyhuff, of the county of Kent, Knt. and by his first, had four sons, Henry, Thomas, Francis, and Giles, and a daughter Grace, married to John Horsey, Esq; and of the sons, the eldest, in 1582, succeeded him in the title of Visc. Bindon; but died without issue, as did Thomas his brother and heir who was knight of the garter. His other brothers being dead before, we return to Henry, Earl of Surry, who was beheaded. He married Frances, daughter to John Vere, Earl of Oxford, and by her left two sons, and three daughters; whereof Jane was married to Charles, Earl of Westmoreland; Margaret, to Henry Lord Scroop of Bolton; and

and Catharine, to Henry the 7th Lord Berkeley. Of the sons, which were Thomas and Henry, the latter, with his said three sisters, was restored in blood the 1st of Elizabeth. He was one of the Privy Council to King James I. by whom he was created Lord Howard of Marnhill in the county of Dorset, and Earl of Northampton; and made Lord Privy Seal, Warden of the Cinque Ports, Knt. of the garter, and Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, where (in King's College) he had his education, and afterwards founded and endowed no less than three hospitals, viz. one for twelve poor women, and a governor, at Rising in Norfolk; another for twelve poor men, and a Governor, at Clun in Shropshire; and the 3d at Greenwich, in Kent, for a Governor and twenty poor men, of whom, eight are to be chosen out of Shotsham in Norfolk, his birth-place. This Earl died unmarried on the 15th of June, 1624, and was buried in an antient chapel in the castle at Dover. We now return to

4th D.) THOMAS the elder brother, who upon the death of his grandfather Thomas Duke of Norfolk, succeeded him in his honour and estate, the act of his grandfather's attainder being repealed, as before-mentioned. In the 1st Elizabeth he was made Knt. of the garter, and two years after constituted Lieut. General for the Northern parts of the realm; but in the 11th of that reign the Queen began to suspect him as too much inclined to the Queen of Scots, whom it was reported he designed to marry; to which marriage the Queen being averse, the D. retired into Norfolk, with a resolution, notwithstanding, to pursue his former courtship; which being discovered, he was imprisoned the 14th of that reign, and the next year brought to his trial, when his charge amounted to high-treason, viz. That he had conspired the dethroning of the Queen, and bringing in foreign forces; that he had applied to the Pope and Spaniard for that purpose; and that he endeavoured the enlargement of the Queen of Scots; for which he was found guilty by his Peers, and on the 2d of June, 1573, beheaded on Tower-hill. He married first Mary daughter to Henry Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel, with whom he had the Manor and Castle of Arundel in Suffex, which continues in his family to this day) and by her had Philip his heir; by his 2d wife, who was Margaret, daughter and sole heir of Thomas Lord Audley of Walden, he had Thomas, the first Earl of Suffolk of this family, and William, from whom the Earl of Carlisle is descended; and a daughter Margaret, married to Robert Sackville, Earl of Dorset.

Philip Philip his eldest Son, was Earl of Arundel, as owner of
1st Earl of Arundel Arundel Castle by descent from his mother, (for whoever
 is possessed of that castle, becomes thereby an Earl, without
 any other creation) and was by that title summoned to the
 Parliament held the 23d of Elizabeth, and afterwards by special
 act was restored in blood by the same parliament; but not
 long after, by the contrivance of Robert Earl of Leicester, and
 Secretary Walsingham, he was confined to his house; and
 endeavouring to go beyond sea for security and devotion,
 being at his imbarcking betrayed by some of his servants, was
 apprehended and sent prisoner to the Tower; and soon after
 a charge was brought against him in the star-chamber, for
 supporting Romish Priests, and holding correspondence with
 Jesuits, and other traitorous people, who conspired the ruin
 of their Prince and country; for which he was fined 10,000l.
 and to suffer imprisonment during the Queen's pleasure. But
 it seems this severity was not sufficient, for, in 1590, he was
 tried for high-treason by his Peers: the particulars of the
 treason were, his contracting a strict friendship with Cardinal
 Allen, and Parsons the Jesuit, for restoring the Romish re-
 ligion: that he was privy to the excommunicating Bull of
 Pope Sixtus Quintus: and that he caused mass to be said for
 the success of the Spanish Armada; and being found guilty,
 he had sentence of death pronounced against him; but being
 remanded to the Tower, his execution was respited. He is
 said to have spent the remainder of his life in exercises of
 austerity and devotion, and died a prisoner in 1595. He mar-
 ried Anne daughter to Thomas, and sister and coheir to George

2nd Earl of Arundel Lord Dacres of Gillisland, by whom he left Thomas his only
 child, who was restored in blood by the Parliament, 1 Jac. I. 1602
 and to all the titles of honour and precedence, lost by his
 father's attainder, and was installed Knt. of the garter, 9 Jac.
 I. and in 19 Jac. I. was constituted Earl Marshal of England
 for life. And in the 20th of the same reign, advanced to
 the title of Earl of Norfolk; but afterwards obtaining leave
 of the King to travel, died at Venice, October 4, 1646. He

Henry married Alatheia, daughter and coheir to Gilbert Talbot the
 7th Earl of Shrewsbury, and by her left two sons, Henry and
 William; of which Henry was Lord Mowbray and Mal-
 travers, and William was Knight of the Bath; as also in 16
 Car. I. created baron of Stafford, having married the
 Lady Mary, sister and sole heir to Henry Lord Stafford,
 and she at the same time was created a baroness. Henry

Henry Lord Mowbray, who succeeded his father in his honours
3rd Earl of Arundel was also Earl Marshal, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter
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to Esme Stuart, Lord d'Aubignie, and Earl of March, afterwards Duke of Lenox, by her had nine sons and two daughters; whereof Catharine was married to John Digby of Gothurst, Esq; and Elizabeth to Alexander Macdonnel, grandson to Sir James Macdonnel, brother to Randal the first Earl of Antrim in Ireland. And of the sons, which were,

ph. 1652. *Earl* (5th Duke) THOMAS, Henry, Philip, Charles, Talbot, Edward, Francis, Bernard, and Esme, the eldest, on the 17th of April, 1652. succeeded his father in his honours and titles of Earl of Arundel, Surry and Norfolk; and in 1661, the 13th Charles II. was restored to the title of Duke of Norfolk; but he dying at Padua, in Italy, 1678, unmarried, the title descended to

Earl (6th Duke) HENRY his *next* brother, who on the 27th of March, 21 Car. II. was created Lord Howard of Castle-Rising in Norfolk; as on the 19th of October, 1672, he was created Earl of Norwich, to him and to the heirs male of his body; and also by the same patent had granted to him the office and dignity of Earl Marshal of England, to him, and the heirs male of his body; and for default of such issue, to the heirs male of the body of Thomas Earl of Arundel, Surry and Norfolk, grandfather of the said Henry Lord Howard; and for default of such issue, to the heirs male of the body of Thomas, late Earl of Suffolk; and for default of such issue; to the heirs male of the body of the Lord William Howard, of Naworth in the county of Cumberland, youngest son of Thomas Duke of Norfolk, (who was beheaded 14 Eliz.) and for default of such issue, to Charles Howard, Lord Effingham, and Earl of Nottingham, and the heirs male of his body. He married to his first wife, the Lady Anne Somersset, eldest daughter to Edward Marquis of Worcester, by Elizabeth Dormer, his first wife, and by her had two sons and three daughters; and by his second, who was Jane, daughter of Robert Bickerton, Esq; he had first Lord George Howard, who married Arabella, daughter and sole heir to Sir Edmund Allen, Bart. widow of Francis Thompson of Humbleton in the county of York, Esq; 2d, Lord James Howard, who died a bachelor, being drowned in August, 1702, attempting to ride over Sutton-Wash in Lincolnshire; 3d, Lord Frederick Henry Howard, who married Catharine, daughter to Sir Francis Blake, of the county of Oxford and relict of Sir Richard Kennedy, Bart. by whom she had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir William Dudley, Bart. this Lady died in January, 1731; and the said Lord Frederick died on the 16th of March, 1727. Lady Catharine and Lady Anne, both

both nuns in Flanders; but the Lady Phillippa, married William Standish, of Standish-Hall, in the county of Lancaster, Esq; and died in Jan. 1683. Of the daughters by the first wife, which were, the Ladies Anne-Allathea, Elizabeth and Frances, the latter was married to the Marquis of Valparefa, a Spanish Count in Flanders; the 2d, to Alexander Gordon, Marquis of Huntley in Scotland, who was created Duke of Gordon; she died in July 1732; and the eldest died in her infancy; and of the sons which were

6th Earl (7th Duke) HENRY and Thomas, the eldest on the 27th of Jan. 1677, was summoned to Parliament by writ, by the title of Lord Mowbray. On Jan. 11, 1683, he succeeded his father in all his honours. This Duke obtained a commission under the Great Seal, on the 13th of August, 1687, which bore date at Westminster, whereby his grace, as Earl Marshal of England, should revive and hold a Court of Chivalry, &c. Upon the landing of the Prince of Orange in England, his Grace being in Norfolk, he immediately declared for him, and brought over that and some of the neighbouring counties to his interest; for which he was sworn one of the Privy Council to King William the 2d of April, 1701. He married the Lady Mary Mordaunt, daughter and sole heir to Henry Earl of Peterborough, from whom (after he had been married near 20 years) he procured a divorce in Parliament, for incontinence, which in 1700, passed both Houses, and he (having no issue by her) was enabled to marry again; but dying as above, and leaving no issue, we shall now speak of his brother, the Lord Thomas Howard, who at the coronation of King James the 2d, as Lord of the manor of Worksop in the county of Nottingham, claimed to find the king a right-hand glove, and to support the king's arm, while he held the sceptre, which being allowed he performed that service. In 1685, he was made master of the robes to King James II. and being of the Romish religion, was in great esteem at court at that time; upon King James's withdrawing himself into France, this Lord accompanied him thither, and soon after attended him into Ireland; but in his return to Brest, was cast away in November, 1689. He (in October, 1681) married Mary-Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Sir John Savile of Copley in the county of York, Bart. and by her, who died Dec. 10, 1732, left five sons and a daughter. Mary, married to Walter Aston, Baron Aston of Forfar in Scotland, but died in 1723; and of the sons, which were Thomas late Duke of Norfolk; Henry died unmarried, Nov. 22, 1720; Edward now Duke; Richard died unmarried, Philip the latter, on the 7th Jan. 1745, married Winfrede

Winifrede daughter of Thomas Stoner of Watlington-park, in the county of Oxford, Esq; and by her, who died in Feb. 1731, had a son named Thomas, born Feb. 4, 1728, and died in Jan. 1763. and a daughter Winifrede, born Aug. 31, 1726, married Oct. 8, 1749. to William Lord Stourton. He afterwards married Harriot, daughter of Edward Blount of Blagdon in the county of Devon, Esq; sister to the late Duchess of Norfolk, and widow to Peter Proli, Esq; of Antwerp, by whom he had issue, Anne, born on the 29th of August, 1742, married April 19, 1762, to Lord Petre, and Edward, born in January 1744, died Feb. 7, 1767, and the said Philip, died Jan. 23, 1750. By the death of Thomas and Edward, sons of the above Philip, the honours of this family, in case of the death of the present Duke without issue, descend to Charles Howard of Greystock in Cumberland, Esq; being the grandson of Charles, brother to the fifth Duke of Norfolk, who married in 1736, Catharine daughter of John Broadholes of Clayton in Lancashire, Esq; by whom he has issue one son and a daughter. 1. Charles, married 1767, to Miss Coppinger, who died in 1768; and 2dly to Frances, daughter of Charles Fitzroy, Esq; by the only daughter and heiress of the late Viscount Scudamore. 2. Mary, born in June 1742.

(8th Duke) THOMAS the eldest of the said five sons, who was born Dec. 7, 1684, succeeded his uncle Henry, in 1701, and in 1709, married Mary, daughter and sole heir to Sir Nicholas Shirburne of Stonyhurst in the county of Lancaster, Bart. but died without issue, Dec. 23, 1732: and her grace married again in August, 1734, to Peregrine Widdrington, Esq; and died in Sept. 1754. He was succeeded by

(9th Duke) EDWARD his next surviving brother, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Howard, by writ of summons to Parliament, October 15, 1470, 10 Edward IV also 19th of August, 1472. Created Earl Marshal, Earl of Surry, and Duke of Norfolk, June 28, 1483. 1 Richard III. confirmed Earl of Surry 3d of November, 1492. 8 Henry VII. and again 13th of May, 1509. 1 Henry VIII. again Earl of Surry and Duke of Norfolk 1st of Feb. 1513, 5th Henry VIII. Earl of Arundel, in the county of Sussex, a feudal honour or local dignity, as adjudged in Parliament 8th July, 1433, 11th of Henry VI. by inheritance and possession of the Castle of Arundel only, without any other creations; also by summons to Parliament, Jan. 16, 1580, 23 Elizabeth, by descent originally, as well before as after the conquest, by King William I. and by Maud the

the Empress (Temp. Stephani) confirmed by King Henry II. and also 27th June, 1189, 1st Richard I. Created Earl of Norfolk, June 6, 1644. 20 Car. I. Baron Howard of Castle-Rising in the county of Norfolk, March 27, 1669, 21 Car. II. Earl of Norwich in Norfolk, and Hereditary Earl Marshal, October 19, 1672, 24 Car. II. Duke of Norfolk by Act of Parliament, with an entail upon the heirs male, and divers limitations, May 8, 1661, 13 Car. II. Baron Mowbray by writ of summons to Parliament, 6th March, 1678. 31 Car. II. and likewise 21 March: 1639, 15 Charles I. by descent originally 8th June 1294. 22d of Edward I.

ARMS.] Quarterly four coats, first *gules*, a bend between six cross crosslets fitchy, *argent* with an augmentation, viz. on the upper part of the bend, an inescutcheon *or*, charged with a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow, within a double tressure, counter-flowered with fleurs de lis, *gules*, and is the paternal coat of the illustrious family of Howard. 2d, *Gules*, three lions passant-guardant paleways, *or*, label in chief, of three points, *argent*, for the name of Brotherton. 3d, Cheque, *or*, and *azure*, for Warren, anciently Earls of Surry. 4th, *Gules*, a lion rampant, *argent*, armed and langued, *azure*, for Mowbray, anciently Dukes of Norfolk. And behind the whole, two truncheons, or Marshal's staves in saltire, *or*, enamelled at each end, *fable*, having the king's arms engraven at the upper, and his own at the lower end, the badge of his high office, given to Thomas Mowbray, and the heirs of his body.

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up *ermine*, a lion passant-guardant, his tail extended, gorged with a ducal coronet, *argent*, as descended from Margaret, daughter and heir of Thomas de Brotherton, Earl of Norfolk, fifth son of Edward I.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, and on the sinister a horse, both *argent*; the latter holding a slip of oak fructed, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Sola virtus invicta.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Arundel-Castle, in Suffex; Workshopmanor, in the county of Nottingham.

SEYMOUR, DUKE OF SOMERSET.

THE most noble Prince EDWARD SEYMOUR, Duke of SOMERSET, Baron Seymour, and Baronet, succeeded his father the late Duke, Dec. 15, 1757. WILLIAM DE ST. MAUR, (Progenitor of the Seymours by the aid of Gilbert Earl of Pembroke, recovered Wendy and Penhow, (parts of the county of Monmouth) from the Welch nation, the 22d of Henry III. From him descended Sir John Seymour, who served King Henry VIII. in the wars in France and Flanders, and in the 4th of that reign, for his gallant behaviour, at the siege of Therouenne, and the battle of the Spurs, had the honour of Kt. Banneret conferred upon him. He died in 1536, and left issue, by Margaret his wife, daughter to Sir John Wentworth of Nettlested in Suffolk, six sons and four daughters; of which daughters, Jane was married to King Henry VIII. and was mother of King Edward VI. Elizabeth the 2d daughter was first married to Sir Henry Ughtred, Kt. 2dly, to Gregory Lord Cromwell; and lastly, to John Lord St. John of Basing, afterwards Marquis of Winchester; and Dorothy, to Sir Clement Smith, Kt. And of the sons, John the eldest died unmarried.

(1st Duke) EDWARD, the 2d son was created Duke of Somerset, Henry, the 3d, was Kt. of the Bath; Sir Thomas, the 4th, in the 35th Henry VIII. was Marshal of the forces. In the 1st of Edward VI. he was created Lord Seymour of Sudley, made Kt. of the Garter, and Lord High Admiral of England, and married the Lady Catharine Parr, widow of King Henry VIII. The other sons, who were Anthony and John died young; Edward who was Duke of Somerset in the 24th Henry VIII. was created Viscount Beauchamp; and on the 18th of October, 1558, he was created Earl of Hertford. In 1547 the king lying on his deathbed, he was appointed one of his executors; and on the 1st of February, 1547, was unanimously elected protector of the realm, and governor of the king's person, until he should accomplish the age of 18 years. On the 10th of February following, he was chosen Lord Treasurer of England, as also the 15th of the same month, created Baron Seymour, with limitation to the heirs male of his body, by Anne his 2d wife, remainder to his heirs male by Catharine his first wife. The next day he was created Duke of Somerset, and to his heirs male by Anne his 2d wife, and in default thereof, to his heirs male, by Catharine his first, or any other wife: But this duke fell
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by the ax, through the pride of his 2d wife, Anne Stanhope, daughter to Sir Edward Stanhope, and heir to her mother, Elizabeth, sister to John Bouchier, Earl of Bath, and great grand-daughter of William Bouchier, Earl of Ewe, in Normandy, by Anne, his wife, daughter and sole heir to Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester, 7th and youngest son of King Edward III. Thomas Lord Sudley, brother to the duke, having married the Lady Catharine Parr, Queen Dowager to King Henry VIII. she envied the marriage, by reason the younger brother's wife claimed precedence before her, and possessed the duke her husband, that his brother studied his ruin, and to get the protectorship out of his hands; which by the artifice of John Dudley, the ambitious Earl of Warwick, took place; and the Lord Sudley being arrested, was imprisoned in the Tower, tried and condemned by Act of Parliament; and on the 20th of March, 3d Edward VI. beheaded, by a warrant under his own brother's hand. The duke, having thus signed his brother's death, created a great hatred in the people against him. Besides, another thing helped to confirm the public hatred, his pulling down a church and two bishops houses in the Strand, to make way for Somerset-house, and ruining the steeple, and most part of the church of St. John of Jerusalem, to carry on the building, &c. Soon after being charged with designing to murder the aforesaid Earl of Warwick, and several of the nobility, he was sent to the Tower; and was tried and found guilty of felony, and sentenced to be hanged; and two months after, the violence of his enemies, notwithstanding the king's desire to save him, drew him to Tower-hill, where on the 22d of January (5th of Edward IV.) he lost his head. He married first Catharine, daughter and coheir to Sir William Fillol. By this lady he had three sons, 1st, John who died young, 2dly, Sir Edward Seymour, of Bury-Pomeroy, in the county of Devon, and of Maiden-Bradley, in the county of Wilts, Kt. 3dly, Henry, who was an Officer in the fleet which beat the Spanish Armada. And his second wife was Anne Stanhope, before-mentioned; by her he had Edward his heir, and six daughters; whereof Anne, was first married to John Dudley, eldest son of the before-mentioned Earl of Warwick, which Earl was then Duke of Northumberland, and 2dly to Sir Edward Unton of Wadley, Berks, Kt. of the Bath; Margaret and Jane died unmarried; Mary, was first married to Andrew Rogers, son and heir of Sir Richard Rogers, Kt. and 2dly to Sir Henry Peyton, Kt. Catharine died unmarried, and Elizabeth became the 2d wife of Sir Richard Knightly of Fausley in the county

county of Northampton, Kt. Edward, who succeeded, being ^{Edward} dispossessed of all titles by the attainder of his father, in the ^{2^d of} 5th of Edward VI. so continued to the 1st of Eliz. when he ^{Hertford} was advanced to the title of Lord Beauchamp, and Earl of Hertford. He married the Lady Catharine Grey, ^{daughter to} Henry Duke of Suffolk, and sister to the lady Jane Grey; ^{Dudley} but she being nearly allied to the Queen, and discerned to be with child, was, in the 5th of that reign, committed to the Tower, though she acknowledged herself to be his lawful wife; and he returning from France, where he had gone with the queen's leave, and owning his marriage, was likewise imprisoned with her, where she was soon brought to bed of a son, and afterwards of another by connivance of the keeper. He was hereupon censured in the star-chamber, 1st, for violating a maid of the royal blood; 2d, for breaking prison; lastly, for lying with her again; to which he answered, that having lawfully married her, and the prison-doors standing open, he came to her in her sadness, to comfort her, and pay his conjugal debt; nevertheless he was fined 5000 pounds, and kept a prisoner for nine years, and she till the time of her death. The validity of this marriage being afterwards tried at common-law, the minister who married them appearing in court, and other circumstances ~~the jury~~ ^{the jury} agreeing, of which John Digby, Esq; was foreman, found it a good marriage. This Earl lived to be an aged man; and by the Lady Catharine aforesaid, his first wife, he had Edward his heir-apparent, who was Lord Beauchamp; but by his 2d and 3d wives, who were Frances, daughter to William Howard Lord Effingham, sister to Charles Earl of Nottingham; and Frances daughter to Thomas Visc. Howard of Bindon, he had no issue.

EDWARD, LORD BEAUCHAMP, in the 6th of James I. ^{Edward} obtained letters-patent, granting that he and the heirs male of his body, immediately after the death of his father, should be Barons of Parliament, and have place and voice there; as also other letters patent, for the enjoyment of the title of Earl of Hertford; but died in his father's life-time, 1618. He married Honora, daughter to Sir Richard Rogers of Brainston, in the county of Dorset, Kt. and by her had three sons and a daughter of her name, married to Sir Ferdinand Sutton, Kt. of the Bath, at that time heir apparent to Edward Lord Dudley, by whom she had a daughter Frances, Baroness Dudley, wife of Humble who was created Lord Ward; and of the sons which were Edward, Sir William, and Sir Francis, the eldest who died in 1618, the same year as his father, married the ^{lady}

Lady Anne Sackville daughter to Robert, the 2d Earl of Dorset; but left no issue, she married, 2dly, Sir Edward Lewis, Kt.

A^o 1621
 (2d Duke) Sir WILLIAM Seymour, Kt. 2d son, upon the death of his grandfather, Edward Earl of Hertford, succeeded him in his honours. In 1640, the 16th Charles I. he was created Marquis of Hertford, and was restored to the dignity of Duke of Somerset; and died on the 24th of October, 1660.

1 Mary
2 Duke
 He married first Arabella, only child of Charles Stewart, 3d son of Matthew Earl of Lennox, (by Elizabeth his wife, 2d daughter of Sir William Cavendish of Chatsworth in the county of Derby, Kt.) but she being cousin german to King James I. and secretly married without his privity or consent, they were both committed prisoners to the tower of London, where she ended her life without issue, Sept. 27, 1615. But marrying to his second wife, the lady Frances Devereux, eldest of the two daughters of Robert² Earl of Essex (that great favourite of Queen Elizabeth, and sister and coheir to Robert³ Earl of Essex,) by her had five sons and three daughters, whereof Frances, was first married to Richard Molineux, the 2d, Viscount Molineux in Ireland; 2dly, to Thomas Wriothesley, Earl of Southampton, Lord High Treasurer of England; and lastly, to Coniers Darcy, the 2d Earl of Holderness. Mary, to Henage Finch, the 2d Earl of Winchelsea; and Jane, to Charles Boyle, Lord Clifford, son and heir to Richard Earl of Burlington. And of the sons, which were William, Robert, Henry, Edward and John, the two eldest died unmarried, and the 4th in his infancy, and Henry the 3d, died in his father's lifetime; but having married Mary, eldest daughter to *Arthur* Lord Capel of Hadham, and by her who afterwards married Henry the 1st Duke of Beaufort, left issue William, successor to his grandfather, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Thomas Bruce² Earl of Ailshury.

(3d Duke) WILLIAM, who on the 24th of October, 1660, succeeded his grandfather, died on the 12th of Dec. 1671, unmarried; whereupon

(4th Duke) JOHN his uncle, the 5th and youngest son of William Duke of Somerset succeeded him and married^x Sarah, daughter to Sir Edward Alston, Kt. but he dying on the 29th of April, 1675, without issue; we come now to

John
 Sir Francis Seymour, Kt. 3d son to Edward Lord Beauchamp by Honora his wife, already mentioned; which Sir Francis in 1642, the 18th of Charles I. was created Lord Seymour of Troubridge. He married to his 2d wife, Catharine, daughter to Sir Robert Lee of Bidsey, in the county of Warwick, Kt. by whom he had no issue; but by his first, who was Frances,

Daughter

xx Sarah Alston 2d licd of John Ath D. of S. afterwards married Hen. Hare 2^d Colborne, but they separated. she left much to charities and died 1692

daughter and heir to Sir Gilbert Prinne of Allington, in Wilts, Knt. he had Charles his heir, and a daughter Frances, who was married to Sir William Ducie, of Fortworth in the County of Gloucester, Kt. of the Bath.

CHARLES, who in 1669, succeeded his Father as Lord Seymour of Troubridge, married to his first Wife, Mary, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Smith of Soley, in the Parish of Chilton in Wilts, by whom he had a daughter Frances, married to Sir George Hungerford, of Cadenham, Wilts; and by his 2d wife, who was Elizabeth, daughter to William Lord Allington of Horsheath, in the county of Cambridge, he had five sons and two daughters, whereof the three eldest sons and the eldest daughter died young; but the 2d daughter Honora, was married to Sir Charles Gerard, of Harrow in Middlesex, Bart. and died in May 1731. Of the sons which survived and were

(5th D.) FRANCIS and Charles, the eldest succeeded to the title of Duke of Somerset, (but not to the title of Marquis of Hertford) and in the year 1678, being basely murdered in Italy, a fleet of ships were sent from the King of England to demand satisfaction for the death of so great a subject; and thereupon several persons were hanged in effigy. This Duke dying unmarried, was succeeded by

(6th D.) CHARLES his brother, who marrying to his first wife the Lady Elizabeth Percy, widow and relict of Henry Cavendish, Earl of Ogle, only son and heir to Henry Duke of Newcastle, sole daughter and heir to Joceline Percy, the 11th and last Earl of Northumberland, by her (who died on Nov. 23, 1722) had three sons and four daughters. Of the Daughters, which were the Ladies Elizabeth, Catharine, Anne and Frances, the eldest married Henry O'Brien, Earl of Thomond in Ireland, Visc. Tadcaster in England; she died April the 2d, 1734, without Issue; the 2d was married July 21st 1708, to Sir William Wyndham, of Orchard-Wyndham in the county of Somerset, Bart. but died in April 1731. The Lady Anne married Peregrine-Hide Osborne, Marquis of Carmarthen, (late Duke of Leeds) and died in child-bed four days after her mother, viz. on the 27th, aged 31. And Lady Frances died unmarried, May the 10th, 1720. Of the sons, which were Algernon, Earl of Hertford, the Lord Charles, and the Lord Percy, the Lord Charles died on the 3d of Jan. 1711, aged 13, and the Lord Percy died on the 4th of July, 1721, unmarried, aged 26; but the eldest, on the death of his mother, who was heir to the Baronies of Percy, Lucy, Poinings, Fitz-Pain, Bryan, and Latimer, was

Charles called up to the House of Peers, by the title of Ld Percy, on the 4th of Feb. 1726. Marrying to his 2d wife, the Lady Charlotte Finch, 2d daughter to Daniel Earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham, by her who died Jan. 21, 1773, had two daughters, the Lady Frances, born July 8, 1728; and the Lady Charlotte, born the 21st of Sept. 1730. His Grace died Dec. 2, 1748; he was possessed of a very large personal estate, the most of which he left to his two daughters, by his 2d Duchess, who survived him. The Lady Frances was married to the Marquis of Granby, eldest Son of the Duke of Rutland, and died Jan. 25th 1760. and the Lady Charlotte to the Lord Guernsey, eldest son of the Earl of Aylesford. He was succeeded in his honours, and his real estate, by his only surviving Son.

Frances (7th D.) ALGERNON, Earl of Hertford, who married Frances, eldest of the two daughters and coheirs of Henry Thynne, Son of Thomas Viscount Weymouth, and by her who died July 7th, 1754, had one Son, George Lord Beauchamp, born Sept. 11th, 1725, and died on his travels in 1744, and one daughter the Lady Elizabeth, married in July 1740, to Sir Hugh Smithson, Bart. now Duke of Northumberland, and his Majesty was pleased to grant to his Grace the dignities of Baron Warkworth and Earl of Northumberland, to hold to him and the heirs male of his body, and in default of such issue, to Sir Hugh Smithson of Stanwick, in the county of York Bart. and the heirs male of his body, by the Lady Elizabeth his wife, daughter of the said Duke; and in default of such issue, to her ladyship and her heirs male. His Majesty was also pleased to grant unto his Grace, the dignities of Baron of Cockermouth, and Earl of Egremont in the county of Cumberland, and to the heirs male of his body, and in default of such issue, to his nephew Sir Charles Wyndham, of Orchard-Wyndham in the county of Somerset, Bart. and the heirs male of his body, and in default of such issue, to Percy Wyndham O'Brien, of Shotgrove in the county of Essex, Esq; brother of the said Sir Charles, afterwards Earl of Thomond in Ireland, and the heirs male of his body. His Grace died at Percy Lodge, near Colnbrooke, on the 7th Feb. 1750, whereby the titles of Earl of Northumberland, and Baron Warkworth, descended to Sir Hugh Smithson, Bart. The titles of Earl of Egremont, and Baron Cockermouth, to Sir Charles Wyndham, Bart. The Baronies of Percy, Poinings, Fitzpaine, Brian and Latimer, to the Lady Elizabeth Smithson, wife of Sir Hugh; and the titles of Earl of Hertford, Viscount Beauchamp

champ of Hache, and Baron Seymour of Troubridge, became extinct; but the two former have since been conferred on Francis Seymour Conway, Lord Conway, now Earl of Hertford, &c. But the titles of Duke of Somerset, and Baron Seymour, devolved on

(8th D.) Sir EDWARD SEYMOUR, Bart. who is descended from Sir Edward, eldest surviving son of the Protector, by his first wife Catherine, who was possessed of a good estate at Berry Pomeroy in Devonshire, purchased by his father of Sir Thomas Pomeroy. He had a grant from King Edward 6. of several lordships in the county of Somerset, and being a great œconomist, he purchased Maiden Bradley, in Wilts, and the manor of Totness, in Devonshire. He married Jane daughter of John Walshe, Esq. one of the justices of the common pleas, and died May the 6th, 1593, by whom he had Edward his heir, who was one of the knights of the shire for the county of Devon, in several parliaments, and was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, June 29, 1611. He married in 1570, Elizabeth daughter of Sir Arthur Champernown of Dartington, Devon, Knt. by whom he had issue several sons and daughters, and dying April 11, 1613, was succeeded by

Sir EDWARD SEYMOUR, his eldest son. He died about the year 1641. By Dorothy, daughter of Sir Henry Killegrew, of Laroche in Cornwall, Knt. he had six sons and five daughters: Elizabeth, married 1st, Francis Courtenay, of Powderham, Devon, Esq. 2dly, Sir Amos Meredith, of Ashley, Cheshire, Bart. Mary married Sir Jonathan Trelawney, Bart. father of the late Bishop of Winchester, Margaret, to Francis Trelawney, Esq. brother of the said Sir Jonathan, and Anne married Dr. Stourton; the other daughter married Sir T. Hall, of the county of Wilts, Knt. Of the sons,

Sir EDWARD, the eldest, succeeded his father; Henry, the second, was of great note in the reigns of K. Charles I. and II. He died the 9th of March 1686, in the 74th year of his age, and was buried at Langley. He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Joseph Killigrew, Knt. and widow of William Basset of Claverton, Somerset, Esq; and she dying without issue in June 1671, he married 2dly, Ursula, daughter of Sir Robert Austen, of Bexley in Kent, Bart. and widow of George Stawel, Esq; Brother to Ralph Lord Stawel, by whom he had an only son Henry, born the 20th of Oct. 1674, who at 7 years old, in consideration of his father's approved loyalty, and services (and while he was living) was by K. Charles II. created a Baronet, and to his heirs male, remainder to his father, and his heirs male, which Sir Henry

Nov. Seymour, Bart. died unmarried in 1714. Thomas Seymour, third son of Sir Edward and Dorothy, married Anne, daughter of Sir Richard Anderson, Knt. and left issue Edward, Clerk of the Hanaper, 1695, who had two sons and three daughters, 1st Henry, who was killed in a duel; he married a daughter of J. Tregonwell, Esq; by whom he had Edward Seymour, who married Henrietta daughter of the late Governor Phipps, by whom he had no issue, and a daughter married to Sir Robert Monro, Bart. she died in 1732. 2dly, Edward, who in 1710 was chosen Member of Parliament for Shaftsbury, but died soon after of a fever, which he got at his election. John and Robert, 4th and 5th sons of Sir Edward and Dorothy, both died without issue. Sir Joseph Seymour Knt. 6th son, married Bridget, another daughter of Sir R. Anderson and had issue, Henry and Anne.

3dly Sir EDWARD SEYMOUR the eldest brother, born in 1611, was Vice Admiral of the county of Devon. He dying in 1689, left issue by Anne his wife, daughter of Sir John Portman, Bart. one daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Joseph Tredenham, of Tregony Cornwall, Knt. and five sons, Sir Edward his successor, John a Colonel in the army, who married a daughter of Sir Richard Kennedy; Hugh, Captain of the Resolution Frigate, who was killed in the Dutch wars; William who died unmarried; Henry, 5th son, heir to his uncle Sir William Portman, Bart. whereby he became possessed of the large inheritance of the Portmans, at Orchard and Portman in Somersetshire, and assumed the name and arms of Portman by Act of Parliament, pursuant to a settlement of the said Sir William. He married 1st, Penelope, youngest daughter of Sir William Haslewood, of Maidwell in the county of Northampton, Knt. and co-heir to her brother Peter Haslewood, Esq; her other sister Elizabeth being wife to the Lord Visc. Hatton: his 2d wife was Millicent, daughter of William Fitch of High-Hall, in Dorsetshire, Esq; by neither of which he had any issue, and died in Feb. 1728; his relict afterwards married T. Fownes, Esq.

4thly Sir EDWARD SEYMOUR, Bart. fifth of that name in lineal succession, eldest son of the last Sir Edward, made a considerable figure in the House of Commons in four several reigns. He was one of the first gentlemen in the west that joined the Prince of Orange in 1688; and on the accession of Q. Anne, he had an offer of a patent for a Baron of the Realm, which he declined in favour of Francis the eldest surviving son of his second marriage. He died Feb. 17, 1707, in the 76th year of his age, and was buried at Maiden-Bradley in Wiltshire. He married first Margaret, daughter and

co-heir to Sir William Wale, Knt. Alderman of London, by whom he had two sons, Sir Edward his successor, and William, General of Marines, who died without issue in 1727. By his second wife Letitia, daughter of Francis Popham, of Littlecote Wilts, Esq; he had six sons and a daughter Anne, married to William Berkley Esq; father of William Henry Berkley Portman, Esq. The sons were, 1. Popham Conway, killed in a duel by Colonel Kirk; 2. Francis, who after the death of his brother Popham, took the surname and bore the Arms of Conway, and on the 17th of March 1703, was created Baron Conway, and his son, upon the decease of the late Duke of Somerset, was created Earl of Hertford; 3. Charles, to whom the Barony of Conway was limited; 4. Henry; 5. Alexander; 6. John, who all died unmarried. *Conway*

Sir EDWARD, the eldest son, by the first marriage, who succeeded to the title and estate, died Jan. 1741, aged 80. He married Letitia, sole daughter of Sir Francis Popham, of Littlecote in Wilts, Knt. of the Bath, and had issue four sons and eight daughters. 1. Sir Edward; 2. Francis, who married Elizabeth, Viscountess Hinchinbroke, relict of Edward late Viscount Hinchinbroke, mother of the present Earl of Sandwich, and only daughter of Alexander Popham of Littlecote, Esq; and had issue two sons Henry who married July 24th, 1753, Lady Caroline, only daughter of William Earl Cowper; Francis who died an infant and a daughter Mary; 3. Alexander, who died unmarried April 1731; 4. William who married Elizabeth daughter and heir of Mr. Hippey, of Froom in Somersetshire, and died without issue. Of the daughters, Letitia married to John Gapper, Esq; Margaret, to Richard Jones of Ramsbury, Esq; Elizabeth, to Henry Hungerford of Fifield, Esq; Anne to William Scroggs of Chute Lodge, Esq; all in the county of Wilts, which Anne died in Feb. 1755. Helena, died unmarried; Mary, married the Rev. Mr. Hammond; Jane, married William Coleman of Gornhey, Devon, Esq; and Catharine, married Philip Fuhr of Bristol, Esq. *5 Bar*

Sir EDWARD, their elder brother, late Duke of Somerset, married Mary sole daughter and heir of Daniel Webb, of Monckton-Farley in Wilts, Esq; also niece and heir of Edward Somner, of Send in Wilts, Esq; by her Grace, who died in Jan. 1768, he had issue four sons, 1. Edward now Duke of Somerset; 2. Lord Webb, who inherits his grandfather's estate at Monckton-Farley; he married, Dec. 11, 1769, the only daughter and heiress of the late John Bonnell, Esq; of Stanton-Harcourt in Oxfordshire; 3. Lord *6 Bar*
Mary

William, a Barrister at Law; 4. Lord Francis, Dean of Wells, who married Catharine, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Payne, and sister to the Countess Dowager of Northampton, by whom he has issue, 1. Edward, 2. Francis, 3. Mary, who married in Sept. 1773, John Hyde, Esq; of East-Greenwich, one of his Majesty's Judges of the supreme Court of Calcutta: 4. Catharine, 5. Frances; and one daughter Lady Mary, married Sept. 21, 1759, to Vincent Biscoe, Esq; and died in July 1762. His Grace dying the 15th of Dec. 1757, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(9th Duke) EDWARD, the present Duke of Somerset.

CREATIONS.] Baron Seymour, by letters patent, Feb. 15, 1546, (1 Edward VI.) and Duke of Somerset the day following.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, on a pile, *gules*, between six fleur-de-Lis, *azure*, three lions of England; (an augmentation granted by King Henry VIII. on his marriage with the Lady Jane Seymour) second and third, the paternal coat of Seymour; *gules*, two wings, conjoined in lure, tips downwards, *or*. (Plate I.)

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a phoenix in flames, *proper*, in memory of King Edward VI.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side an unicorn, *argent*, armed, crested, and gorged, with a ducal collar, to which is affixed a chain, *or*. On the sinister a bull, *azure*, collared, chained and hooped, as that on the dexter.

MOTTO.] *Foy pour devoir.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Maiden-Bradley in Wiltshire, and Berry-Pomeroy in Devonshire.

LENOX, DUKE OF RICHMOND.

THE most noble CHARLES LENOX, Duke of RICHMOND in England, of Lenox in Scotland, and Aubigny in France; Earl of March and Darnley, Baron of Settrington and Turbolton, born Feb. 22 1735, succeeded Charles the late Duke his father, Aug. 8, 1750; and April 1, 1757, was married to the Lady Mary Bruce, daughter to the Earl of Aylesbury. *by his 3^d wife*

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The first of this noble Family was Charles, surnamed Lenox, only natural son of King Charles II. by Louisa de Querouaille, a French lady, who in 1670, came into England, as an attendant on the Princess Henrietta Maria, Duchess

of

of Orleans, sister to K. Charles II. and by that King, on the 19th of August, 1673, was created a Peeress, by the titles of Baroneſs Petersfield, Counteſs of Fareham, and Duchefs of Portsmouth, all in the county of Southampton, and by Lewis XIV. Duchefs of Aubigny in France.

(1st Duke) The ſaid CHARLES, ſurnamed Lenox, was born on the 29th of July 1672, and died on the 27th of May, 1723, aged 51. He married Anne, eldeſt daughter to Francis Lord Brudenel, (who died before his father Robert Earl of Cardigan) widow of Henry Lord Belaffiſe, and by her, who died on the 9th of December, 1722, had

(2d Duke) CHARLES the late Duke, born May 18, 1701; and two daughters, the Ladies Louiſa and Anne, whereof the youngeſt, in Feb. 1723, married William-Anne Keppel Earl of Albemarle; but the eldeſt, who married James Earl of Berkeley, died on the 15th of Jan. 1716, aged 23. Charles the late Duke married in Dec. 1719, the Lady Sarah Cadogan, eldeſt of the two daughters and co-heir of William Earl Cadogan; and by her he had ſeveral ſons and daughters, viz.

1. Lady Georgina Carolina, born March 27, 1723, and married in May 1744, to the late Right Hon. Henry Fox, Lord Holland, only brother to Stephen Earl of Ilcheſter; her Ladyſhip was created a peeress of Great Britain in 1762.
2. A ſon, who died immediately after his birth, Sept. 3, 1724.
3. Lady Louiſa Margaret, born Nov. 15, 1725, and died in 1728.
4. Lady Anne, born May 27, 1726, and died the ſame year.
5. Charles Earl of March, (born Sept. 9, 1730, who died the ſame year.
6. Lady Emilia, born Oct. 6. 1731, married Feb. 7, 1747, to the late Duke of Leinſter in Ireland.
7. Charles, now Duke of Richmond.
8. Lord George-Henry, born Nov. 27, 1737, married in 1759, to Lady Louiſa Ker, daughter to William the late Marquis of Lothian in Scotland.
9. Lady Margaret, born Nov. 16, 1739, and died Jan. 10, 1741.
10. Lady Louiſa Auguſta, born Nov. 24, 1743, married in Jan. 1759, to Thomas Conolly, Eſq; of Caſtletown in Ireland.
11. Lady Sarah, born Feb. 14, 1745, married June 2, 1762, to Sir Charles Bunbury, Bart.
12. Lady Cecilia Margaret, born Feb. 28, 1750. His Grace was Duke of Aubigny in France, which devolved to him by the death of his Grandmother the Duchefs of Portsmouth and Aubigny at Paris, Nov. 14, 1734. On the 8th of Jan. following, he was conſtituted Maſter of the Horſe to his Maſteſty; and the next day ſworn of the Privy Council. In Sept. 1735 he was choſen Mayor of Chicheſter, and High Steward in Jan. 1749; and in Feb.

1750, was made Colonel of his Majesty's royal regiment of Horse-Guards. He was also a governor of the Charter-house. His Grace died August 8, 1750. (his Duchess died Aug. 25, 1751) and was succeeded by his eldest son,

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(3d Duke) CHARLES, now Duke of Richmond, &c. who in June 1753, was made a Capt. of a company in Lord Bury's regiment of foot; in June 1756, Lieut. Colonel of Lord Charles Hay's regiment of foot, and in May 1758 appointed Colonel of the 72d regiment of foot; his Grace being present at the battle of Minden, fought Aug. 1. 1759, received the particular thanks of Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, for his conduct and intrepidity in that action. His Grace married on the 1st of April 1757, the Lady Mary Bruce, daughter of the late Earl of Aylesbury by his 3d wife, daughter of the late Duke of Argyle, now the wife of General Conway.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Sittlington in the county of York, Earl of March, (a title derived from the marches in South Wales) and Duke of Richmond in the county of York (English honours) Aug. 9, 1675, the 27th of K. Charles II. As also at the same time, created Baron of Methuen, Earl of Darnley, and Duke of Lenox (Scotch honours.)

ARMS.] The arms of King Charles II. within a bordure-compone, *argent* and *gules*; the first charged with verdoy of roses of the second, barbed and seeded, *proper*. (Plate I.)

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up *ermine*, a lion passant-guardant, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *gules*, and gorged with a collar, gobone, counter-charged, as the bordure in the coat.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side an unicorn, armed, crested and hooped, *argent*. On the sinister, an antelope, armed, crested and hooped, as the dexter; each supporter gorged with a collar, compone, *gules* and *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *En la rose je fleurie.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Goodwood, in the county of Suffex.

FITZROY, DUKE OF GRAFTON.

THE most noble AUGUSTUS HENRY FITZROY, Duke of GRAFTON, Earl of Euston and Arlington, Viscount Thetford and Ipswich, Baron of Arlington and Sudbury, born in Oct. 1735, succeeded his Grandfather Charles

Charles, the late Duke of Grafton, May 6, 1757; and on Jan. 29, 1756, married Anne, only daughter of Henry Liddel, Lord Ravensworth, by whom he has issue, 1. Lady Georgina, born May 8, 1757. 2. George Henry Earl of Euston, born Jan. 17, 1760. 3. Lord Charles, born July 17, 1764. In March, 1769, his Grace obtained a divorce, and afterwards married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Richard Wrottesley, Bart. by whom also he has issue, 4. Lord Henry. 5. Lady Charlotte. 6. Lord Augustus. 7. Lord Frederick. 8. Lady Elizabeth.

The first of this noble family, was

(1st D.) HENRY FITZ-ROY, 2d natural son of K. Charles II. by Barbara Villiers, Duchess of Cleveland, born the 20th of Sept. 1663, was created Baron of Sudbury, Visc. Ipswich, Earl of Euston, and Duke of Grafton; but in the reign of K. William and Q. Mary, being at the siege of Cork, under the conduct of the Earl of Marlborough, as he was leading up a party to an assault, he received a wound by a shot, which broke two of his ribs, on the 21st of September 1690; of which he died on the 9th of October following. He married (on the 1st of Aug. 1672) the Lady Isabella, only child, and at length heir to Henry Bennet, Earl of Arlington, Visc. Thetford (by the Lady Isabella of Nassau, his wife, one of the daughters of Lewis of Nassau, Lord of Bevertwaert, natural son of Maurice Prince of Orange, and Count of Nassau, and sister to Henry of Nassau, seignior de Auverquerque, master of the horse to K. William, father of Henry late Earl of Grantham) and by her had

(2d D.) CHARLES his only child, late Duke of Grafton, born Oct. 25, 1683; and in right of his mother, who died Feb. 7, 1723, in the 56th year of her age, was Baron of Arlington and Visc. Thetford, her father having been created Baron Arlington, of Arlington in the county of Middlesex, March 14, 1663, 16 Car. II. and Visc. Thetford in the county of Norfolk, and Earl of Arlington, April 22, 1672, with limitation to the heirs of his body lawfully begotten. In 1713 he married the Lady Henrietta Somerset, daughter to Charles Marquis of Worcester, (eldest son of Henry Duke of Beaufort) by Rebecca sister to Richard late Earl Tilney, and by her, who died on the 9th of Aug. 1726, had issue three sons and three daughters, viz. 1. George Earl of Euston, born Aug. 24, 1715, who married in Sept. 1741, the Lady Dorothy Boyle, eldest daughter to Richard Earl of Burlington. She died in April, 1742; he died in July, 1747, leaving no issue. 2. Lord Augustus, born Oct. 16, 1716,

after the Duke's death the D^{ss} married S^r Tho. Harmer, who in 1694, but had no issue by him; by this marriage she forfeited her rank of Duchess dowager & so walked at the coronation of 2 Wm. as C^{ts} of Arlington by descent

who in March 1734, married Elizabeth daughter of Colonel William Cosby, Lieutenant Governor of the Leeward Islands, by whom he left two sons, Augustus Henry, now Duke of Grafton, and Charles, born in July 1737, married 27th of July, 1758, to Anne one of the daughters and co-heiresses of the late Sir Peter Warren, by whom he hath issue, Anne Caroline, born May 9, 1759. Mary, born Sept. 7, 1760. George Ferdinand, born August 7, 1791. A son, born Sept. 1, 1763. Lord Augustus died at Jamaica, Commander of the Orford, May 24, 1741; and his Lady is since married to James Jeffreys, Esq; 3. Lord Charles, born April 28, 1718, who died in 1739, on his travels, at Milan. 4. Lady Carolina, born April 8, 1722, married in August 1746, to William now Earl of Harrington. 5. Lady Harriot, born June 8, 1723, died August 1735. 6. Lady Isabella, born July 19, 1726, married to Francis Seymour Conway, Lord Conway, now Earl of Hertford, in May 1741. His Grace dying the 6th of May, 1757, was succeeded by his grandson,

(3d Duke) AUGUSTUS HENRY, now Duke of Grafton.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Sudbury, Visc. Ipswich, and Earl of Euston, all in the county of Suffolk, Aug. 16, 1672, 24 Car. II. and Duke of Grafton in the county of Northampton, Sept. 11, 1675, the 27th of that reign.

ARMS.] The arms of King Charles II. with a batton sinister-compone, *argent* and *azure*. (Plate I.)

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up *ermine*, a lion passant-guardant, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *azure*, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, *argent* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *azure*, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, *argent* and *azure*. On the sinister, a greyhound, *argent*, gorged as the lion.

MOTTO.] *Et decus et pretium recti.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Wakefield-lodge, in Whitlebury-forest in Northamptonshire; at Livermore-hall, and Euston-hall, in the county of Suffolk.

SOMERSET, DUKE OF BEAUFORT.

THE most noble HENRY SOMERSET, Duke of BEAUFORT, Marquis and Earl of Worcester, Earl of Glamorgan, Viscount Grosmont, Baron Herbert, Lord of Ragland, Chepstow and Gower, all in the county of Monmouth; as also Baron Beaufort of Caldecot-castle, born Oct. 16, 1744, succeeded his father Charles, the late Duke, who died Nov. 1, 1756, and married Jan. 2, 1766, Elizabeth daughter of the late Admiral Boscawen, by whom he has issue, Henry Marquis of Worcester, born Dec. 24, 1766. Lord Charles. Lord Barkeley. Lady Elizabeth. Lady Francis, and Lady Harriet.

This illustrious Family derive their genealogy, by the male line, from Geoffry Plantagenet, Earl of Anjou, son of Foulk, King of Jerusalem, and grandson to Foulk Rechin, Earl of Anjou, Tourain and Maine, by Maud, the Empress his wife, daughter to Hen. I. King of England, son of William the Conqueror, 7th Duke of Normandy, in descent from Rollo the Dane, (whence it is observable that their progenitors have flourished with the titles of Kings, Dukes, Marquises, and Earls, and have not descended to a lower dignity for above these 700 years) and lineally sprung from

JOHN of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, King of Castile and Leon, 4th son of K. Edward III. which Duke caused all his children by Catharine Swinford, daughter of Sir Pain Roet, (alias Guyen,) King of Arms, and widow of Sir ^{Hugh} Otes Swinford, Knt. (afterwards his 3d wife) to be called Beaufort from the castle of Beaufort, in Anjou, the place of their nativity. By the said Catharine Swinford, he had three sons and a daughter Joan, 2d wife of Ralph Nevil, the first Earl of Westmoreland; of the sons, which were John, Henry and Thomas, the latter was created Duke of Exeter and Earl of Dorset; the 2d was Bishop of Winchester; and

JOHN the eldest was created Earl of Somerset, 20th Rich. II. He married Margaret, sister and co-heir to Edmund Holland Earl of Kent, and had four sons and two daughters, Joan the eldest married to James I. King of Scotland, and Margaret, to Thomas Courtenay the 7th Earl of Devonshire. Of the sons, which were Henry, John, Edmund, and Thomas,

HENRY the eldest dying unmarried, left his inheritance to his brother

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1.2 JOHN, who succeeded him in the earldom of Somerset; and in 1443, was created Duke of Somerset. He married Margaret daughter to Sir John Beauchamp of Bletschoe in the county of Bedford, Knt. and had an only daughter of her name, who was married to Edmund Tudor Earl of Richmond, (the eldest son of Owen ap Meredith ap Tudor, and Catharine of France, Queen of England, dowager to King Henry V.) and by him was mother to King Henry VII. but dying without issue male, was succeeded by

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2.2 EDMUND, his next brother, who was Earl of Mortain in Normandy, and Marquis of Dorset in England; he was afterwards created Duke of Somerset, and slain in the battle of St. Albans. He married Eleanor, 2d daughter and co-heir to Richard Beauchamp Earl of Warwick, and had four sons and five daughters; Eleanor the eldest was the 2d wife of James Butler Earl of Ormond and Wiltshire; Joan the 2d was first married to the Lord Houth in Ireland, and 2dly to Sir Richard Fry, Knt. Anne the 3d, was married to Sir William Paston of the county of Norfolk, Knt. Margaret the 4th, to Humphrey Stafford Earl of Stafford, and 2dly to Sir Richard Darel, Knt. by whom she had a daughter of her name, who was married to Thomas Touchet, Lord Audley, from whom is descended the present Earl of Castlehaven; and Elizabeth the 5th daughter was married to Sir Henry Lewis, Knt. Of the sons, which were

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1.2 *HENRY,* Edmund, John and Thomas, the eldest succeeded his father in the dukedom; but he having no lawful issue, the honour devolved upon

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xx EDMUND, his next brother; but he dying without issue, as did also John and Thomas his brothers, we shall now return to Henry the eldest, who bore the title of Earl of Mortain in his father's lifetime, and was taken prisoner at the battle of Hexham in Northumberland, by John Nevil, Marquis of Montacute, and there, (on April 3, 1463, the 3d of Edward IV.) beheaded for his adherence to the house of Lancaster, leaving issue by Joan Hill, or De la Montaign, an only (natural son) son of Henry 332.

(1st E.) CHARLES, who assumed the surname of Somerset, and was Lord Chamberlain to King Henry VIII. and by him was created Earl of Worcester, and died in 1526. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter and heir to William Herbert, Earl of Huntingdon, and Lord Herbert of Gower and Chepstow, by which appellation he had summons to Parliament, Nov. 26, 1508, the 22d of Hen. VII. His 2d wife was Elizabeth daughter to Thomas West, Lord De La War, and his

his 3d, was daughter to Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley, but by her he had no issue; but by his 2d he had two sons and a daughter Mary, married to William Lord Grey of Wilton. Of the sons, which were Sir Charles and Sir George Somerset, the latter married 1st, Mary, daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Bowlays of Penhow in the county of Monmouth, Knt. and 2dly, Helena, daughter of Sir Walter Hendley of Cranbrook in Kent, Knt. who after his decease married Sir Thomas Fane of Buston in Kent Knt. By his 1st wife, the said Charles Earl of Worcester had Henry his successor, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir John Savage of Clifton, Knt. from whom descended the late Earl Rivers.

(2d E.) HENRY who succeeded, married Elizabeth daughter to Sir Anthony Brown, Knt. (by Lucy daughter and co-heir to John Nevil Marquis of Montague) and had four sons and four daughters; Eleanor married Sir Robert Vaughan of Tretour in the county of Brecknock, Knt. Lucy to John Nevile, Lord Latimer, whose daughter Elizabeth married Sir John Danvers of Dantsey in Wilts, Knt. whose daughter Dorothy married Sir Peter Osborn of Chicksand in the county of Bedford, Knt. father by her of Dorothy, wife of the famous Sir William Temple, Bart. and of Sir John Osborn, Bart. ancestor of the late Sir Danvers Osborn, Bart. Anne to Thomas Percy, 7th Earl of Northumberland, and Jane to Sir Edward Mansel of Margam, in the county of Glamorgan, Knt. from whom descended the Lord Mansel. Of the sons which were William, Thomas, Francis and Charles, Francis lost his life on Sept. 10, 1547, at Musselboroughfield against the Scots; Thomas died in the Tower, and

(3d E.) WILLIAM succeeded his father in the earldom of Worcester, &c. He married Christian, daughter to Edward the 1st Lord North; and dying on Feb. 21, 1588; by her he left Edward his heir and two daughters; Elizabeth married to William Windsor, Esq; the 7th and youngest son of William the 2d Lord Windsor, ancestor of the Earl of Plymouth; and Lucy, to Henry Herbert, son and heir to Sir Thomas Herbert of Wyneston in the county of Monmouth, Knt.

(4th E.) EDWARD, who in 1588, succeeded his father, died March 3, 1627, leaving issue by Elizabeth, daughter to Francis Hastings, the 2d Earl of Huntingdon, eight sons and seven daughters. Of the daughters, Elizabeth married Sir Henry Guildford of Hemsted in Kent, Knt. Catharine to William the 2d Lord Petre; Anne to Sir Edward Winter of Lidney, in the county of Gloucester, Knt. Frances to Sir William

William Morgan, of Lanternam, in the county of Monmouth, Esq. by whom she was mother of Sir Edward Morgan, Bart. Mary died an infant; Blanch married Thomas the second Ld Arundel of Wardour; and another Catharine to Thomas the sixth Lord Windsor. And of the eight sons Edw. the youngest married Bridget, daughter and heir to Sir William Whitmore, of Heighton, in the county of Chester, but died without issue. Christopher the seventh died at about five years old. Charles the sixth was made Knight of the Bath with his brother Edward, and died in December, 1665, having had issue by Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Sir William Powel of Lhanpylt, in the county of Monmouth, Knt. three daughters, whereof Elizabeth married Francis Ander-ton, of Lestock, in the county of Leicester, Esq. Mary died unmarried, and Frances married Sir Henry Brown, of Kid-dington in the county of Oxford, Bart. Francis the fifth died very young, as did Charles the fourth; but Thomas the third was created Viscount Somerset, of Cashel in Ireland, where he married Helena, relict of Thomas Butler, the tenth Earl of Ormond, and daughter of David Lord Barry, Viscount Buttevant, (by Helena his wife, daughter to David Roch, Viscount de Rupe and Fermoy in that kingdom) and by her had Elizabeth his daughter and heir, who was never married; and William Lord Herbert, the eldest son, dying in his father's life-time, unmarried,

(5th E. 1st M.) HENRY, the second son, in 1667² became heir. This noble Lord in 1641 obtained the title of Earl of Glamorgan, in South Wales, and was created Marq. of Worcester, and died in December 1646. He married Anne, 2d daughter of John Lord Russel, son of Francis second Earl of Bedford, and by her had nine sons and four daughters; of whom William the third son, Henry the fourth, Thomas the fifth, and Charles the sixth, Frederick the seventh, Francis the eighth, and James the ninth, all died very young, or unmarried; as did Elizabeth, Anne, and Mary, the three eldest daughters; but another Elizabeth, who was the fourth and youngest daughter, married Francis Brown the third Visc. Montague. Of the two eldest sons, which were Edward and Sir John, the latter married Mary, daughter to Thomas the first Lord Arundel of Wardour, by whom he had three sons, Henry Somerset, grandfather of Edward Somerset, who died in 1711, without issue; Thomas, who died in 1676, and Charles, who left issue.

(2d M.) EDWARD the eldest son succeeded his father in 1646. He married to his first wife Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Dormer, Knt. (who died in the life-time of his father Robert Lord Dormer, of Wenge) and by her (who died on the 31st of May 1665) had one son and two daughters; and his second wife was Margaret, second daughter and coheir to Henry O'Brien the fifth Earl of Thomond in Ireland; she died in 1681. Of the daughters by his first wife, Anne the eldest, married Henry Howard, the sixth Duke of Norfolk; and Elizabeth to William Herbert, Marquis of Powis; and

(1st D.) HENRY their brother, on the 3d of April, 1667, succeeded his father; and on the second of December, 1682, he was created Duke of Beaufort, and died on the 21st of January, 1699, in the 70th year of his age. He married Mary, eldest daughter of Arthur Lord Capel, sister to Arthur Earl of Essex, and widow of Henry Seymour, Marquis of Hertford, son of William the second Duke of Somerset, and mother by him of William the third Duke, and by her (who died on the 7th of January, 1714, in the 85th year of her age) had five sons and four daughters. Of the daughters, which were Elizabeth, Mary, Henrietta, and Anne, the latter was married to Thomas, afterwards Earl of Coventry, and had a warrant of precedence, dated Nov. 30, 1699, the 11th of William III. to take place as daughter of the Duke of Beaufort, notwithstanding her marriage; Lady Henrietta was first married to Henry O'Brien, eldest son by the second wife to Henry Earl of Thomond; and secondly to Henry Howard the sixth Earl of Suffolk, and died on the 10th of August, 1715. Lady Mary married James Butler, late Duke of Ormond, and died in November, 1733; and Lady Elizabeth died in her infancy. Of the sons, Henry the eldest, Edward the third, and Henry the fourth, died young, and Arthur the fifth, marrying Mary, daughter and sole heir to Sir William Russel, of Langherne, in the county of Carmarthen, Bart. (and widow of Hugh Calveley Cotton, second son of Sir Robert Cotton, of Cumbermere in the county of Chester, Bart.) by her had a son Edward, born January 27, 1692, and three daughters, Mary, Elizabeth, and Anne; whereof Mary was married to Algernon Greville, second son of Foulk Greville the fifth Lord Brooke; Lord Arthur died in July, 1743.

CHARLES, Marquis of Worcester, the second son leaping out of his coach, to avoid the danger he was in from the unruliness of his horses, running down a steep hill, broke his thigh

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thigh-bone, of which he died three days after, viz. on the 13th of July, 1698, in the 38th year of his age, in his father's life-time. This noble Lord married Rebecca, sister to Richard Earl Tilney, and by her (who was afterwards married to John Lord Granville, second son to John/Earl of Bath, and died on the 27th of July, 1712, aged 44) had three sons and three daughters. Of the daughters, which were Mary, Elizabeth, and Henrietta, the two eldest died young; but the Lady Henrietta, married to Charles Fitzroy, late Duke of Grafton, and died on the 9th of August 1726. Of the sons, which were

(2d D.) HENRY, Charles, and John, the latter died on the 31st of December, 1704; the second on his travels at Rome, March 4, 1710, aged twenty-one; and the eldest, who was born on the 2d of April, 1684, on the 21st of January 1699, succeeded his grandfather in the Dukedom. He married (in 1702) the Lady Mary Sackville, sister to Lionel Duke of Dorset; but she dying in childbed on the 18th of June, 1705, and leaving no issue, he on the 26th of February, 1706, married to his second wife the Lady Rachel Noel, second daughter and coheir to Wriothesly Baptist Earl of Gainsborough, and by her he had three sons, Henry late Duke, born March 26th, 1707; John, who died young; and Charles Noel, born September 12, 1709, of which birth she died the next day; and to his third wife the said Duke married the Lady Mary Osborne, daughter to Peregrine Duke of Leeds, but by her who married secondly John Cochran, Earl of Dundonald, had no issue: and dying on the 24th of May, 1714, in the thirtieth year of his age, was succeeded by

(3d D.) HENRY his eldest son; who on the 28th of June, 1729, married Frances, only child and heir to Sir Ja. Scudamore of Home-Lacy, in the county of Hereford, Bart. Viscount Scudamore in Ireland, by Frances his wife, only daughter of Simon Lord Digby, by whom he had no issue. In 1730, an act was passed in parliament for obliging his Grace and his Duchess, and her children, to take the additional surname, and bear the arms of Scudamore, pursuant to a settlement made by her Grace's father; he was divorced from this lady March 2, 1744, and dying February 24, 1745-6, leaving no issue, was succeeded by the Lord

(4th D.) CHARLES-NOEL his brother, who in April 1740, married Elizabeth Berkeley, daughter to the Viscountess dowager Hereford, by John Berkeley, of Stoke Gifford in Gloucestershire, Esq. by whom he had issue,

1. Lady

1. Lady Anne, born in 1741, and married, Sept. 10, 1759, to Charles, the late Earl of Northampton, and died at Naples in June, 1763. 2. Lady Elizabeth, died May 13, 1760. 3. Henry the present Duke. 4. Lady Rachel, who died in her infancy. 5. Lady Henrietta, born in 1748; married, April 11, 1769, Sir Watkin Williams Wynne, Bart. and died July 24, following. 6. Lady Isabella, born August 1, 1756, and married, Dec. 26, 1775, to the Right Hon. the Marquis of Granby.

His Grace died October 28, 1756, and was succeeded by his son,

(5th D.) HENRY now Duke of Beaufort.

CREATIONS.] Baron Jure Uxoris, and by letters patent, Nov. 26, 1506, (22 Henry VII.) originally by descent and writ of summons to parliament, July 26, 1461, 1 Edward IV. Earl, Feb. 2, 1514, 5 Henry VIII. Marquis, Nov. 2, 1642, 18 Car. I. and Duke of Beaufort, Dec. 2, 1682, 34 Car. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly, the arms of France and England, within a bordure-compone, *argent* and *azure*, [Plate I.]

CREST.] A portcullis, *or*, nailed, *azure*; chains of the *first*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a panther, *argent*, spotted with various colours, fire issuing out of his mouth and ears, *proper*, gorged with a collar, and chain pendant, *or*. On the sinister, a wyverne, *vert*, holding in his mouth a sinister-hand couped at the wrist, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Mutare vel timere sperno.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Badminton in Gloucestershire; Chepstow-castle in Monmouthshire, and Netherhaven in the county of Wilts.

BEAUCLERK, DUKE OF ST. ALBANS.

THE most noble GEORGE BEAUCLERK, Duke of St. ALBANS, Earl of Burford, and Baron of Heddington, was born June 25, 1730. He succeeded his father Charles the late duke, on his decease July 27, 1751. He married, Oct. 23, 1752, Jane, sole daughter and heiress of Sir Walter Roberts, of Glassenbury in Kent, Bart.

The first of this noble Family was

(1st D.) CHARLES BEAUCLERK, eldest natural son of K. Charles II. by Mrs Eleanor Gwin, born May 8, 1670.

On the 17th of April, 1694, he married the Lady Diana Vere, eldest daughter and co-heir of Aubrey de Vere, the 20th and last Earl of Oxford, and by her, who died in Jan. 1742, had nine sons, and 3 daughters who died unmarried.

- (2d D.) 1. CHARLES, the late Duke was styled Earl of Burford, late Duke of St. Albans, was born on the 6th of April 1696; on the 11th of May, 1726, he succeeded his father in his honours; and the 13th of Dec. 1722, his Grace married Lucy, daughter to Sir John Werdon of Hollyport, in the county of Berks. Bart. and by her who died on the 2d of Nov. 1752, had issue one son and one daughter, viz. the Lady Diana, born Oct. 20 1725, and married Feb. 2, 1761, to the Hon. Shute Barrington, and died in 1766, and George born June 25, 1730, now Duke.] 2. Lord William, born May 22, 1698; who, in 1722, married Charlotte, daughter and co-heir of Sir John Werden, Bart. by whom he had issue, William, who died at Eaton-school; Charles, a colonel in the army, who married Miss Elizabeth Jones, by which lady, who died Dec. 5, 1768, he had issue a son George, born Dec. 5, 1758, and the Colonel died in 1775; Charlotte, married to John Drummond, Esq; and, 4. Caroline.] 3. Lord Vere, born July 14, 1699, now Lord Vere of Hanworth, who married, in April 1736, Mary, eldest daughter, and one of the co-heirs of the late Sir Thomas Chambers, of Hanworth in the county of Middlesex, Bart.] 4. Lord Henry, born Aug. 11, 1701, who married, in Dec. 1738, Mary sister and heiress of Nevil Lord Lovelace, by whom he had issue, a son, and several daughters. He died in 1761. 5. Lord Sidney, born Feb. 27, 1702; married Dec. 9, 1736, Mary daughter of Thomas Norris of Speak in the county of Lancaster, Esq; His lordship died Nov. 23, 1744, leaving issue, one son, Topham Beauclerk, born in 1739, and married in 1767, to Lady Diana, sister of the Duke of Marlborough. 6. Lord George, born in 1704, lieutenant-general of his Majesty's forces, married Miss Margaret Bainbridge. He died in 1768, without issue. 7. Lord Seymour, died an infant. 8. Lord James, bishop of Hereford, unmarried. 9. Lord Aubrey, born in 1711, killed on board the Prince Frederick ship of war at Carthagena. 1740

His Grace deceasing July 27, 1751, was succeeded by his son, (3d D.) GEORGE, now Duke of St. Albans.

CREATIONS.] Baron Heddington of Heddington, and Earl of Burford, both in the county of Oxford, Dec. 27, 1676. 28 Car. II. and Duke of St. Albans in the county of Hertford, Jan. 10, 1684. 35 Car. II.

ARMS.] The arms of King Charles II. with a baton sinister, *gules*, charged with three roses, *argent*, seeded and barbed, *proper*. (Plate II.)

CREST] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up *ermine*, a lion passant-guardant, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet party per pale, *argent* and *gules*, and gorged with a collar, *gules*, charged with three roses, *argent*, seeded and barbed. *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an antelope, *argent*, armed and unguled, *or*. On the sinister, a greyhound, *argent*, gorged and unguled, as the other.

MOTTO.] *Auspicium melioris Aevi.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Windsor in Berkshire; at Crawley in Hampshire.

POWLETT, DUKE OF BOLTON.

THE most noble HARRY POWLETT, Duke of BOLTON, Marquis of Winchester, Earl of Wiltshire, Baron St. John of Basing, premier Marquis of England, born Nov. 6, 1713, succeeded his brother, Charles, the late Duke, July 5, 1765. He married Miss Nunn, of Eltham in Kent, who died in May 1764, leaving a daughter. Lady Mary, married to John Viscount Hinchinbroke. He married, secondly, April 8th, 1765, Catherine, sister to Sir James Lowther, Bart. by whom he has two daughters, Lady Catherine, and Lady Amelia.

Of this ancient family, which originally took its sur-name from the Lordship of Powlett, in the County of Somerset, was Sir John Powlett, Knt. who died in the reign of King Richard II. having Issue by Elizabeth, daughter and heir to William Credi, of Credi in the County of Devon, Esq; two sons, 1. Sir Thomas Powlett, Knt. from whom is descended the present Earl POWLETT; and 2. WILLIAM the Progenitor of this family; and a daughter Dionisia married to John Popham, Esq. This William married Eleanor, sister and heir to Sir Elias Delamere, of Noney-Castle in the county of Somerset, and of Fisherton Delamere in the county of Wilts, Knt. and by her had a son Sir John, who married Constance, daughter to Hugh Poynings, and grand-daughter and co-heir to Thomas Poynings, Lord St. John of Basing, and was father of another John, who succeeded him. He married Eleanor, daughter and co-heir to Robert Ross, of Gedney in the

county of Lincoln, Esq; and had a daughter Margaret, married to Sir Amias Powlett of Hinton St. George; and a son, Sir John Powlett, Knt. who marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Powlett of Hinton St. George, had 1. William; 2. Sir George, who married a daughter of William Lord Windsor, by whom he had a daughter married to Walter Lambart, Esq; and one son William, whose daughter and heir Elizabeth married Oliver St. John of Bletfloe, who was created Earl of Bolingbroke; 3. Richard married Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Peter Cowdrey of Herriard in Hants, Esq; whose grand-son Sir Richard, married Anne, daughter of Sir Henry Wallop, Knt. and left two daughters, of which Lucia married Sir Thomas Jervois of Chilmarsh, Salop. Sir John married 2dly, Barbara, daughter of Sir John Hampden Powlett, whose only daughter and heir Elizabeth, married Francis Dowse of Collingbourne, in Wilts, Esq.

VIII (1st Ld. and E. and Marq.) WILLIAM, eldest son and heir of Sir John, was by K. Henry III. created Lord St. John of Basing. He accompanied that King at the taking of Bologne, and was one of the King's executors, and one of the council to K. Edward VI. In the 3d of Edward VI. created Earl of Wiltshire; in the 4th, made Lord High Treasurer of England; and in the 5th, created Marquis of Winchester. He built the beautiful and magnificent seat called Basing in the county of Southampton, and living to see one hundred and three persons of the issue of his own body, died in 1572, in the 97th year of his age. By his 2d wife Winifride, daughter to Sir John Bridges, Knt. Lord Mayor of London, and widow of Sir Richard Sackville, Knt. he had no issue but by his first wife Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Capel, Knt. he had four sons and four daughters, of which the Lady Alice married Richard Stowell, Esq; Margaret to Sir William Berkeley, Knt. Margery to Richard Waller, Esq; and Eleanor to Sir Richard Peckfall, Knt. And the sons were first John, Lord St. John; 2. Lord Thomas, who married Mary, daughter and co-heir to Thomas Moor, of Melpesh in the county of Dorset, Esq; 3. Lord Chedick, of Wade in the county of Southampton, Governor of Portsmouth, married, 1st Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas White of South-Warnebourne, Hants, and had issue William Powlett of Wade, Esq; who married Dowfabel, daughter of James Paget, Esq; 2dly a daughter of Edmund Knevit of the county of Essex, Esq; and had issue Thomas Powlett of that county, Esq; and 4. Lord Giles, was ancestor to Bernard Powlett, Esq; whose daughter and heir, Elizabeth, married Thomas

Thomas Holbeck, of Filongly, in the county of Warwick, Esq; and their daughter and heir, Mary, married Edward Lord Leigh.

(2d M.) JOHN, who, during his father's life-time was summoned to parliament as Lord St. John, succeeded his father. He married Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir to Robert Willoughby, Lord Brook, and had four sons and two daughters; Mary married to Henry Lord Cromwell, Baron of Oakham, by whom she had a daughter Katharine, married Sir Lionel Tollemache, Bart. ancestor to the Earl of Dyfert; and Elizabeth, first to Sir William Courtenay, Knt. and afterwards to Sir Henry Ouchtrede, Knt. Of the sons, which were

(3d M.) WILLIAM, Sir George, Richard, and Thomas, the eldest, who in his father's life-time was summoned to parliament by the title of Lord St. John of Basing, on November 4, 1572, succeeded him in the title of Marquis of Winchester, &c. and having married Agnes, daughter to William Lord Howard of Effingham, by her had William his heir, and two daughters; Anne married to Sir Thomas Dennis, Knt. and Catharine to Sir Giles Wroughton, Knt. and by Mrs. Lambert, had four natural sons, viz. Sir William, Sir Hercules, Sir John and Sir Hector.

(4th M.) WILLIAM, who on Nov. 24, 1598, succeeded his father, married Lucy, daughter to Thomas Earl of Exeter, and had six sons, William, Thomas, John, Henry, Charles, and Edward; of which, William married Mary, daughter to Anthony Brown, the 2d Viscount Montagu, but died in his father's life-time without issue; and she married 2dly, William Arundel, Esq; 2d son of Thomas Lord Arundel of Wardour; and Thomas the 2d son died unmarried. Charles and Edward, left no issue, but Henry, the 4th had issue, Francis, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Richard Norton, and heir of Sir John Norton, Bart. and had issue, Norton Powlett, of Rotherfield, Hants, Esq; who by Jane, daughter of Sir Charles Morley of Droxford, Hants, had issue eight sons, and three daughters.

(5th M.) JOHN, the 3d son on the 4th of February 1628, succeeded his father as Marquis of Winchester. In the wars between K. Charles I. and the Parliament, he made a garrison for his Majesty of his fine seat of Basing; but it being taken and above 400 persons with himself in it, it was burnt to the ground; he called the house Love loyalty, which name he caused to be written with a diamond in every window. He died on the 5th of March, 1674, having married three wives;

1st Jane, daughter to Thomas Visc. Savage, and by her had Charles his successor; his 2d wife was Honora, only daughter to Richard Bourk, Earl of Clanrickard in Ireland, and Earl of St. Albans in England, by Frances, daughter and heir of Sir Francis Walsingham, Knt. and widow first of Sir Philip Sidney, and 2dly of Sir Robert Devereux Earl of Essex; and by her had four sons, of which only two lived to maturity, viz. Lord John, who died unmarried; Lord Francis left an only daughter and heir, married to the Rev. Mr. Nathan Wright of Englefield, Berks, son of the Lord Keeper, and three daughters, of which Frances married Lewis de Ricardie; Anne to John Lord Belassise of Worlaby; and Honora died unmarried. To his 3d wife he married Isabella, daughter to William Howard, Viscount Stafford, but by her had no issue; so that we now return to

(1st D.) CHARLES his eldest son and heir, by the first wife, who was created Duke of Bolton, March 9, 1689, 1st W. and M. and died on Feb. 26, 1699. He married Christiana, *Christiana* eldest daughter to John Frecheville, of Stavely, in the county of Derby, Esq; afterwards created Lord Frecheville, by whom he had an only son John, who died in his infancy, but by his 2d wife Mary, one of the natural daughters of Emanuel Scroop, Earl of Sunderland, and Lord Scroop of Bolton, and widow of Henry, 2d son of Henry Carey Earl of Monmouth, he had two sons, Charles Marquis of Winchester; and Lord William; and three daughters; of which, Jane, married John Egerton, Earl of Bridgwater; Mary died unmarried; and Elizabeth married Toby Jenkins, of Grimston in the county of York, Esq. Of the sons, Lord William the youngest, died on the 25th of September, 1729, in the 63d year of his age. He married 1st the Lady Louese Armeilus de Caumont de la Force, only daughter to the Marquis of Monpouillon in Holland, who was a younger son to the Duke de la Force in France, and by her had two sons and two daughters; and by his 2d wife Anne, daughter and co-heir to Randolph Egerton, of Beteley in the county of Stafford, Esq; who died in Nov. 1737, he had a daughter Henrietta, who married William, 3d son to Charles late Visc. Townshend: and of the daughters by the 1st wife, which were Mary and Jane; the eldest married Richard Parsons, Earl of Ros, in Ireland. *And died in 1718* And of the sons, which were William and Sir Charles Armand; the latter, was on the 26th of June, 1749, installed a Knt. of the Bath. He married in June, 1738, the widow of Richard Dashwood of Northbrooke Oxfordshire, Esq; and died Nov. 14th 1751. William,

tiam, his eldest brother, having married the Lady Anabella Bennet, daughter of Charles the 1st Earl of Tankerville, had a son William, born on the 9th of November, 1729, and a daughter Anabella. Having done with this branch we return to

(2d D.) CHARLES, Marquis of Winchester, who in 1699 succeeded his father; and died on the 21st of January 1722, having had issue as follows: by his first wife, Margaret only daughter to George the 3d Lord Coventry, whom he married July the 7th, 1679, he had no issue; but by his 2d, Frances, daughter of William Ramsden, of Byrom in the county of York, Esq; grand-father of Sir William Ramsden, Bart. he had two sons and two daughters, and in 1697, marrying at Dublin to his 3d wife, the Lady Henrietta Crofts, daughter to James Scot, Duke of Monmouth, by Eleanor, youngest daughter to Sir Robert Needham of Lambeth in Surry, Knt. by her (who died on the 27th of February, 1730 he had a son Lord Nassau, born June 23d 1698, who in Dec, 1731, married the Lady Isabella Tufton, youngest daughter and co-heir of the late Earl of Thanet, by whom he had several children, of which one only lived to maturity, Isabella who is married to the present Earl of Egmont. Lord Nassau Powlett died August 24th 1741, and his lady married Sir Francis Blake Delaval. Of the daughters of Charles, Duke of Bolton, by his 2d wife, Lady Mary married 1st Charles O'Neal of Ireland, Esq; 2dly Capel Moore, Esq; 7th son of Henry the 1st Earl of Drogheda, and Lady Frances to John Lord Mordaunt, by whom she had the present Earl of Peterborough. And of the sons

(3d D.) CHARLES, Marquis of Winchester, was called up by writ to the House of Peers, as Lord St. John of Basing, and succeeded his father as duke in 1721. In 1713, his Grace married the Lady Anne Vaughan, daughter and sole heir to John Vaughan, Earl of Carberry in Ireland; also Baron of Emlyn in the county of Carmarthen, by his 2d wife the Lady Anne, daughter of George Marquis of Halifax, by the Lady Dorothy Spencer, daughter of Henry the first Earl of Sunderland, but not cohabiting with her, had no issue by her. Her Grace died Sep. 20th 1751, and he soon after married Mrs. Lavinia Fenton, who died Jan. 17th 1760, and by whom he had no legitimate issue; and his Grace dying on the 26th of Aug. 1754, was succeeded by his brother.

(4th D) HARRY, who married Catharine, daughter of Charles Parry of Oakfield in Berkshire, Esq; by whom he had

had issue, 1st Charles the late Duke; 2d, Lord Harry, the present Duke; 3d, Henrietta, married July 12th 1741, to Robert Colebrooke of Chilham Castle in Kent, Esq; and is deceased. 4th Lady Catharine, married June 4th 1749, to William Ashe of Heytesbury in Wilts, Esq; who dying July 11th 1750, she married 2dly in Feb. 1755, Adam Drummond, Esq. deceased in 1775.

(5th D.) CHARLES, Duke of Bolton, succeeded his father October 19th 1759, but died without issue July 5th 1765, thereupon the honors devolved on his brother

(6th D.) HARRY, now Duke of Bolton.

CREATIONS.] Baron St. John of Basing in the county of Southampton, March 9th 1538, 30 Henry VIII. Earl of the county of Wilts, Jan. 19, 1549, 3 Edw. VI. Marquis of Winchester in the county of Southampton, October 12, 1551, 5 Edw. VI. and Duke of Bolton in the county of York, April 8, 1689, the 1st of William and Mary.

ARMS.] *Sable*, three swords in pile, their points towards the base, *argent*, the pomels and hilts *or*. (*Plate II.*)

CREST.] On a wreath a mount, *vert*, from whence a falcon, rising, *or*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *gules*, the crest of Lord St. John of Basing, as a descendant of an heir female of that family.

SUPPORTERS.] Two hinds, *purpure*, semi of estoils, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*.

MOTTO] *Ayez loyauté.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hackwood-park, and Abbotstone, in Hampshire; Bolton hall in Yorkshire; at Hook-park in the county of Dorset; and at Edington in Wiltshire.

OSBORNE, DUKE OF LEEDS.

THE most noble THOMAS OSBORNE, Duke of LEEDS, Marquis of Caermarthen, Earl of Danby, Viscount Latimer and Dumblain, Baron Osborne of Kiveton, knight of the most noble order of the garter, born Nov. 6th 1713, succeeded his father the late Duke Peregrine, May 9th 1731; and, on June 6th 1740, married the Lady Mary, youngest daughter of Frances Earl of Godolphin, and by her, who died August 3d, 1764, had issue,

1. Thomas, Marquis of Caermarthen, who died August 15th 1761.

1st Fran-

2. Francis Godolphin, now Marquis of Caermarthen, born Jan. 29th 1751. He married in Dec. 1773, Lady Amelia D'Arcy, only surviving child of the Right Honourable the Earl of Holderness; by whom he has a son George, born in Aug. 1775, the Marquis was summoned to Parliament, in May, 1776, by the title of Baron Osborne of Kiveton.

This family, which is of great antiquity, was for some time seated at Ashford in Kent, of which was John Osborne, Esq; who in the 12th of Henry VI. was returned in the list of the gentry of the said County, as also afterwards was Richard Osborne; who married Jane, sister and heir to Everard Broughton of the county of Westmorland, Esq; and by her had Sir Edward Osborne, Knt. who in the 25th of Eliz. was Lord Mayor of London. He married Anne, daughter and heir to Sir William Hewet, also Lord Mayor of London in that reign, and by her had Sir Hewet Osborne, who married Joice, daughter of Thomas Fleetwood, Esq; Master of the Mint, and by her, who afterwards married Sir Peter Fretchville, had issue Alice, married to Christopher Wandesford, Esq; by whom she had Christopher, who was created Visc. Castlecomer in Ireland, and a son Edward, who succeeded him, and in 1620 was created a Baronet. He married 1st Margaret eldest daughter of Thomas, Visc. Fauconberg, by whom he had a son Edward, who died in his infancy; 2dly, Anne, daughter to Thomas Walmsley, Esq; (by Eleanor his wife, daughter to John Danvers of Dantzey in Wilts, by Elizabeth his Wife, youngest daughter of John Nevil, Lord Latimer, and coheir to her brother John Nevil Lord Latimer) by her had - a younger son Charles, born 1673.

(1st D.) THOMAS, his successor, who adhering to the royal interest, in order to the restoration of K. Charles II. was by that King made Treasurer of the Navy, one of the Privy-Council, Lord High Treasurer of England, Visc. Dunblaine, Baron of Kiveton, Visc. Latimer, Earl of Danby, and Knight of the Garter. He was also in favour with the Prince of Orange, who upon his happy accession created him a Marquis and Duke. He married the Lady Bridget, 2d daughter by the first wife of Montague Bertie Earl of Lindsey, and by her had three sons and six daughters, and died July 26th 1712, in the 81st year of his age. Of the daughters, the Lady Elizabeth died unmarried; Lady Anne the 2d, was first married to Robert Coke of Holkham in Norfolk, Esq; ancestor to the Earl of Leicester, and 2dly, to Horatio Walpole, Esq; uncle to Robert the first Earl of Orford, of that family; and died on the 5th of Aug. 1722, aged 64; Lady Bridget the 3d, married first Charles Fitz-Charles,

Charles, Earl of Plymouth, natural son of K. Charles II. by Mrs. Catharine Peg, daughter of Thomas Peg, of Yeldersley, in the county of Derby, Esq; but by him, who died on the 17th of October, 1680, at Tangier, she had no issue; and 2dly, to Doctor Philip Biss, Bishop of Hereford: Lady Catharine, to James Herbert of Kingsfey, Bucks, Esq; son and heir to James, a younger son of Philip Earl of Pembroke; Lady Martha, to Charles, son and heir to John Earl of Bath; and the Lady Sophia, the youngest, first to Donatas, Lord Ibrikan, grandson and heir apparant to Henry Earl of Thomond; and afterwards to William Lord Lempster, by whom she was mother of the late Earl of Pomfret. And of the sons, which were Edward, Thomas, and Peregrine; the 2d died an infant, and the eldest, who was stiled Lord Latimer, married Elizabeth, eldest daughter and coheir to Simon Bennet, of Bechampton, in the county of Bucks, Esq; a branch of the Earl of Tankerville's family, and by her had two sons; but they dying young,

(2d D.) PEREGRINE his brother, became heir. In his father's life-time, he was created Viscount Dumbaine, in Scotland, on the surrender of his father's patent; and on the 14th of March, 1690, was summoned to parliament, by the title of Lord Osborne of Kiveton; and died June 25th 1729, in the 71st year of his age. He married Bridget, only daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Hyde, of North Mimms in the county of Hertford, Knt. (who survived him, and died Mar. 8th 1734) by whom he had two sons and two daughters, whereof the Lady Bridget married the Rev. Mr. Williams, Prebendary of Chichester, and died in Feb. 1755; and the Lady Mary was first married to Henry Somerset, Duke of Beaufort; and 2dly, to William Cochran, the 4th Earl of Dundonald in Scotland. Of the sons, William-Henry, the eldest, who was born in July, 1691, died of the small-pox at Utrecht, the 9th of Aug. 1711, aged 21; and

(3d D.) PEREGRINE HYDE, the youngest, who in 1712 was summoned to parliament as Lord Osborne of Kiveton, succeeded his father. He married 1st the Lady Elizabeth Harley, daughter to Robert Earl of Oxford, and by her, who died Nov. 20th 1713, aged 28, he had a son Thomas, Marquis of Carmarthen, now Duke, of whom she died in child-bed. By his 2d wife, the Lady Anne Seymour, who died Nov. 27th 1722, 3d daughter to Charles Duke of Somerset, he had a son who died young; and in April 1725, he married to his 3d wife, Julian, daughter to Roger Hele, of Halewell in the county of Devon, Esq; but by her had no issue;

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the surviving him married Charles Earl of Portmore. His Grace dying on the 9th of May, 1731, was succeeded by his only son,

(4th D.) THOMAS, now Duke of Leeds.

CREATIONS.] Baronet July 13, 1620, 1 James I. Visc. Dumblaine in Scotland, June 19, 1673, 25 Car. II. Baron Osborne of Kiveton in the county of York, and Visc. Latimer, Aug. 15, 1673; Earl of Danby in the county of York, June 27, 1674; Marquis of Carmarthen in the principality of Wales, April 20, 1689; and Duke of Leeds in the county of York, May 4, 1694, the 6th of William and Mary.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *ermine* and *azure*, a cross, *or*. [Plate II.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a tyger passant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a griffon, *or*, on the sinister, a tyger, *argent*, each gorged with a ducal coronet, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Pax in bello.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At North-Myms in Hertfordshire; at Kiveton, Hart-hall, and Thorp-hall, and Waller-hall, all in the county of York.

RUSSEL, DUKE OF BEDFORD.

THE most noble Prince FRANCIS RUSSEL, Duke of BEDFORD, Marquis of Tavistock, Earl of Bedford, Baron Russel of Cheney-Thornaugh, and Baron Howland, was born Aug. 11, 1765, and succeeded his grandfather in January, 1771.

This ancient Family have been of long standing in the county of Dorset, where they were possessed of some lordships for many ages past.

JOHN RUSSEL was constable of Corfe-castle, the 5th Hen. III. and had issue,

RALPH his heir, whose wife was Isabel, daughter and co-heir to James de Newmarch, one of the Barons of that age, and a descendant of Bernard de Newmarch, one of the Conqueror's followers into England. The son and successor of this Ralph was

WILLIAM RUSSEL, who in 1284, the 12th of Edward I. obtained a charter for a market every Thursday in the week,
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and a fair, on the eve, day and morrow of St. Matthew, at his manor of Kingston, commonly called Kingston-Russel, in the county of Dorset, which lordship is enjoyed to this day by the chief branch of this family; the same having been held by Serjeantry, viz. to be cup-bearer to the King, at the four principal feasts in the year. He married Jane daughter to Robert Peveral, and had issue

THEOBALD his heir; he married 1st Eleanor, daughter and co-heir of Ralph de Gorges, a Baron in Parliament in the reign of K. Edward II. by whom he had issue, 1. Theobald, who took the name of Gorges; from whom the family of Gorges, now existing in the county of Hereford descended; 2. Sir Ralph, whose sons Theobald and John, died unmarried; 3. Maurice, who had issue Sir William Russel, Knt. who died unmarried; and two daughters, Isabel wife of Stephen Hatfield, and Margaret wife of Gilbert Dennys, who were heirs to Margery daughter and heir of Sir William their brother. We now return to the issue of Theobald Russel by his 2d wife Eleanor, daughter and heir of John de la Tower, by whom he had William his heir, who married the daughter and heir of Mustian, and had issue Henry, whose son John, by Elizabeth daughter and heir of John Heringham, Esq; had issue Sir John Russel, Knt. speaker of the House of Commons in the 2d and 10th Henry VI. who by Alice daughter of — Preuxmere, had issue James his heir, Thomas, and two daughters; Alice married to — Trenchard, Esq; father of Sir Thomas Trenchard, Knt. and Christian to Walter Cheverell, Esq; James the eldest had by Joan his wife, two daughters, Elizabeth married to Nicholas Boremont, Esq; and Thomasin married Robert Husley of Shapwick, in the county of Dorset, Esq; and

(1st E.) JOHN his heir, who was born at Kingston-Russel aforesaid, resided at Barwich, about four miles from Bridport in the said county of Dorset, and being a gentleman of excellent accomplishments, became the foundation of that honour, which afterwards accrued to this noble family. In 1498, Philip Archduke of Austria, only son of the Emperor Maximilian, being bound for Spain, having married the Heiress of that kingdom, Joan, daughter of Ferdinand and Isabel, King and Queen of Castile and Arragon, and meeting with a violent storm in his passage from Flanders, he was obliged to put on shore at Weymouth; whereupon Sir Thomas Trenchard, who lived near that port, accommodated him in the best manner he could, till such time as he had sent to court to acquaint K. Henry VII. with his arrival; and

and inviting Mr. Russel, who was his neighbour and relation to wait upon him at his house, the Archduke was so taken with his conversation, that he desired he might enjoy his company at court, then at Windsor, whither the King had invited that Prince to come: And Mr. Russel being recommended to the King by the Archduke, as a gentleman fitly qualified to serve him in some considerable station, he was thereupon taken into great favour. In the 15th of Henry VIII. he was made knight marshal; and afterwards employed in several negotiations to the Emperor Charles V. the French King, Pope and Duke of Lorrain; the 29th Henry VIII. he was made one of the Privy Council; and on the 9th of March the same year was created a Baron of this realm, and that he might the better support the honour conferred upon him, that Prince took the first opportunity to augment his fortune, and in 31 of his reign, upon the dissolution of the monasteries made a grant to him, and Anne his wife, and the heirs of their bodies, of the whole site and circuit of the rich abbey of Tavestoke in the county of Devon, also of the borough and town of Tavestoke, and of the manors of Hundewike, Morewell, and Morewelham, Milton-Abbot, alias Melton-legh, Lamerton, Hole, Brenton, Wyke-Dabernon, Peterstavey, Ottrow alias Otterye, Whitchurch and Newton; with the hundred of Hurdewyke, otherwise called the hundred of Tavestoke; as also the rectory and vicarage of Tavestoke. He had likewise divers other lands given him in the counties of Devon, Somerset and Bucks. He was on the 19th of Jan. 3d Edward VI. created Earl of Bedford; and dying the 14th of March, 1554, was buried at Cheney's in Bucks, an estate his lordship had in right of his lady Anne, daughter and sole heir to Sir Guy Sapcot, Knt. widow of Sir John Broughton of Tuddington in the county of Bedford, Knt. which lady surviving the Earl, bequeathed her manor of Thornhaugh to her grandson Edward Lord Russel, and the heirs male of his body. John Earl of Bedford was succeeded by his 2d but eldest surviving son.

(2d E.) FRANCIS, who, at the coronation of K. Edward VI. was made Knt. of the Bath; in 1549, he was chosen Knt. of the shire for the county of Northumberland, being the first instance of a peer's eldest son sitting in the House of Commons; * and died 1584. This Earl founded a school at Wooburn, and by his will gave 20l. per ann. for the maintenance of two poor students of divinity in University College Oxford, called the Earl of Bedford's scholars, to be nominated

* See *Parl. Register*, p. 52.

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 nated and appointed by his heirs for ever. By his 2d wife Bridget, daughter to John Lord Hufley, widow 1st of Sir Richard Morrison, and 2dly of Henry Manners Earl of Rutland, he had no issue; but by his 1st, who was Margaret, sister to Oliver the first Lord St. John of Bletsoe, he had four sons, Edward,² John,³ Francis and William; and three daughters, Anne married to Ambrose Dudley, Earl of Warwick, Elizabeth to William Bouchier Earl of Bath, Margaret to George Clifford, the 3d Earl of Cumberland, by whom she had a daughter named Anne, who was married 1st to Richard Sackville, the 3d Earl of Dorset, and 2dly to Philip Earl of Pembroke. Of the sons, Edward died without issue, having married Jane Sibilla, daughter of Sir Richard Morrison, and was summoned to Parliament in the life of his father; John the 2d son married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Anthony Cook of Giddy Hall, in Essex, Knt. widow of Sir Thomas Hobby, of Bisham in Berkshire, Knt. by whom he had two daughters, Elizabeth, who died unmarried, and Anne married to Henry Somerset, who was created Marquis of Worcester; and her father died in 1484, in his father's lifetime, as did Francis his infant son. Francis, 3d son, was also summoned to Parliament 7 Edward VI. in the lifetime of his father, and married Julian, daughter to Sir John Foster, Knt. by whom he had a son Edward: but the said Francis being slain on a day of truce, *by the Scots on the borders*, June 27, 1585, and his father dying the day following, the said

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 (3d E.) EDWARD, succeeded his grandfather. He married Lucy, eldest sister and co-heir to John Lord Harrington of Exton; but dying on the 3d of May, 1627, without issue, we return to Sir William Russel Knt. the 4th and youngest son of Francis the 2d Earl, who was created Lord Russel of Thornhaugh, and having married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Henry, son and heir of Sir Richard Long, of Shenagey in the county of Cambridge, Knt. left

(4th E.) FRANCIS his heir, who succeeding Edward his cousin, he in 1630 became the principal undertaker in that great and chargeable work of draining the fens, called the great level, and since Bedford Levels, which extend into the counties of Northampton, Cambridge, Huntingdon, Norfolk and Lincoln. He married Catharine, youngest daughter and co-heir to Giles Bridges, Lord Chandos, and had four sons and as many daughters, whereof, Catharine was married to Robert Greville the 2d Lord Brook; Anne, to George Digby Earl of Bristol; Margaret, 1st to James Hay, Earl of Car-

Carlisle, and 2dly to Edward Earl of Manchester: and Diana, to Francis, the 1st Earl of Bradford. Of the sons, which were William, Francis, John, and Edward, the latter marrying Penelope, daughter to Sir Moses Hill of Hillsborough, in the kingdom of Ireland, ancestor of the Earl of that title, widow of Sir William Brooke, Knt. of the Bath, by her had a son Edward, and a daughter Letitia, who married to Thomas Cheek of Pergo in Essex, Esq; and by him had a daughter, Anne, who was their heir; and being married to Sir Thomas Tipping, of Wheatfield in the county of Oxford, Bart. and dying Jan. 21, 1728, left two daughters, Catharine married to Thomas Lord Archer, and Letitia to Samuel Lord Sandys; and the said Edward, son of Edward and Penelope Hill, went over to the Prince of Orange, in Holland, with whom he returned the same year; and upon that Prince's advancement to the throne, was made one of his Privy Council. In 1691, he was made Admiral of the blue squadron, and afterwards was advanced to the command of the whole navy, and made treasurer of the same; and was on the 7th of May, 1697, created Baron of Shingey in the county of Cambridge, Visc. Barfleur in the duchy of Normandy, and Earl of Orford in the county of Suffolk. He married the Lady Margaret, youngest daughter to William the first Duke of Bedford, but having no issue, and dying on Nov. 26, 1727, in the 75th year of his age, left his fine house in Covent Garden, and his fine seat at Chipenham in the county of Cambridge, to the lady Tipping his neice.

3. John his brother, 3d son of the Earl, was a colonel in the civil wars for K. Charles I. and after the restoration was made colonel of the first regiment of foot guards, and died unmarried, as did Francis, the 2d son, but

5. ^{th 2d} ~~Ed~~ (1st D.) WILLIAM the eldest, on the 9th of May, 1641, succeeded his father, and was the 5th Earl. On the 11th of May, 1694, he was created Marquis of Tavistock, and Duke of Bedford; and in the year 1695, having settled all things in reference to his grandson's marrying Mrs Elizabeth Howland, a great fortune, it was thought proper, for the honour of that alliance, to create him Baron Howland of Streatham in Surry, on the 13th of June the same year, and he died on Sept. 7, 1700. He married Anne, daughter to Robert Carr, Earl of Somerset, and by her had seven sons, and three daughters; whereof Anne died unmarried; Diana was married first to Sir Grevil Verney, of Compton Verney in the county of Warwick, Knt. of the Bath, (son of Grevil Verney, Esq; by Elizabeth, 5th daughter and co-heir of Thomas the

2d Visc. Wenman,) and afterwards to William Lord Allington; and Margaret married Edward Russel, Earl of Orford, before-mentioned. And of the sons, which were lords Francis, John, William, Edward, Robert, James and George; the latter married Mary, daughter and heir of Mr. Pendleton, Merchant of London, and left a son William, who died unmarried; the Lord James, died on the 22d of June, 1712, aged 67, and left, by Elizabeth his 2d wife, an only daughter Trepheema, (or Tryphano) wife of Thomas Scawen, of Carshalton, Esq; Robert, who married Letithea, widow of Thomas Cheek of Pergo, Essex, Esq; and died without issue; Edward, who died on 21st of June, 1714, without issue; Francis the eldest died in 1679, unmarried; and John the 2d died in his infancy; but the Lord William, the 3d son, on the 21st of July, 1683, was beheaded in Lincoln's-Inn Fields, (in his father's lifetime) for his inviolable integrity to the protestant interest. He married the Lady Rachel, 2d daughter and co-heir to Thomas Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton, and widow of Francis Lord Vaughan, eldest son of Richard Earl of Carbery, and by her, who died Sept. 29, 1723, aged 87, left issue one son, Wriothesly, and two daughters, the Lady Rachel, married to William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire, and the Lady Catharine, to John Manners, Duke of Rutland. In May 23, 1695, the said

(2d D.) WRIOTHESLY, married Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of John Howland, of Streatham, in the county of Surry, Esq; by Elizabeth his wife, half-sister to Sir Richard Child, Bart. late Earl Tilney, and on the 7th of September, 1700, succeeding his grandfather, became Duke of Bedford, and died of the small-pox, May 26, 1711, in the 31st year of his age. By his said Duchess, (who died at Streatham of the small-pox, June 29, 1724, aged 42) he had issue three sons and two daughters, the Lady Rachel, married 1st to Scroop, late Duke of Bridgewater, and 2dly to Sir Richard Lyttleton, Knt. of the Bath, brother to the late Lord Lyttleton; and the Lady Elizabeth, to William Earl of Essex. And of the sons, which were William, Wriothesly, and John; the eldest died in his infancy;

(3d D.) WRIOTHESLY, who was born in 1708, succeeded his father. He married on the 22d of April, 1725, the Lady Anne Egerton, only daughter of the before-mentioned Scroop, Duke of Bridgewater, by the Lady Elizabeth Churchill, 3d daughter and co-heir to John Duke of Marlborough; but by her, who married 2dly William Earl of

of Jersey, had no issue; he died in Spain, Oct. 23, 1732; and the honour descended to his only surviving brother,

(4th D.) JOHN late Duke of Bedford, born September 30, 1710, who, Oct. 13, 1731, married the Lady Diana Spencer, Sister to the late Duke of Marlborough, by whom he had issue a son, who died the 6th of November, 1732, the day he was born, and her Grace died on the 27th of September, 1735. In April, 1737, his Grace married, 2dly, Gertrude, eldest daughter of John Earl Gower, by whom he had issue,

Francis Marquis of Tavistock, born September 26, 1739, and died March 22, 1767, by a fall from his horse; he married June, 7, 1764, Lady Elizabeth, daughter of William Anne, late Earl of Albemarle, who also died in October, 1768, and left three sons; 1. Francis, the present Duke; 2. Lord John; 3. Lord William.

Lady Carolina, the late Duke's daughter, born in January, 1743, married, August 23, 1762, to George Duke of Marlborough.

(5th D.) FRANCIS succeeded his grandfather.

ARMS.] *Argent*; a lion rampant, *gules*; on a chief, *sable*, three escallops of the *first*. [Plate II.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a goat passant, *argent*, armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion; on the sinister an antelope, both *gules*; the latter gorged with a ducal collar, chained, armed, crested, tufted, and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Cbe Sara, Sara.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Woburn-abbey in Bedfordshire; Thornhaugh in Northamptonshire; Cheneys in Bucks.

CAVENDISH, DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE.

THE most noble WILLIAM CAVENDISH, Duke of DEVONSHIRE, Marquis of Hartington, Earl of Devonshire, and Baron Cavendish of Hardwick, born December 14, 1748, and succeeded his father the late Duke, October 2, 1764. He married, June 7, 1774, Lady Georgiana, eldest daughter to the Earl Spencer.

This great and illustrious Family was denominated from the Lordship of Cavendish in the County of Suffolk; which Roger, a younger son of the ancient Family of the Gernons acquired by marriage, and his son (as was usual in those times) took the name of Cavendish, as will hereafter appear. The Gernons, who took their name from Gernon, a castle in Normandy, were of great note in Norfolk and Essex, being lineally descended from Robert de Gernon, a

famous Norman, who assisted William the Conqueror in his invasion of this realm; and in reward of his service, had grants of several Lordships. This

ROBERT de Gernon gave the church of St. Peter in Gloucester, the church of Winterbourne, the church of Leverstroke, and half the lands thereunto belonging, to the Abbey of Gloucester. His son and heir,

MATTHEW de Gernon married Hodierna, daughter and co-heir to Sir William Sackville, whose brother Robert was ancestor to Lionel Duke of Dorset, and by her had issue,

RALPH de Gernon; who by his wife, who was sister to Sir William Brews, Kt. had a son,

RALPH, who was founder of Lee's Priory in Essex. He died in 1248, leaving issue,

WILLIAM his heir, who died the 43d Hen. III. and left issue by Eleanor his wife, two sons, Sir Ralph de Gernon, Kt. whose grandson left two daughters his coheirs, and Geoffrey, from whom is descended the noble family of Cavendish. This

GEOFFREY, in the reign of Edward I. was stiled of More-Hall, in the Peak in the County of Derby, and was succeeded by

ROGER his son and heir, who was seated at Grimston-Hall in Suffolk, and died in 1318, having married the daughter and heir of John Potton, Lord of Cavendish, by whom he left issue, John, Roger, Stephen and Richard, who all took the name of Cavendish. Of these sons,

ROGER the 2d married Alice, daughter to Geoffrey de Stratton, with whom he had the Manor of Stratton and from him descended

Sir RICHARD CAVENDISH, who was knighted, and after the death of Henry Duke of Suffolk, (who died without issue, July 14, the 5th of Edward VI.) was found to be one of his coheirs, viz. son of Richard Cavendish, son of Augustine Cavendish, who married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir William Brandon, Knight, grandfather of Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk. This Sir Richard Cavendish had issue

WILLIAM CAVENDISH of Trimley St. Martin in Suffolk; who dying in 1572, possessed of the ancient inheritance of his ancestors, viz. Grimston, Stratton, and other Manors, left

THOMAS, his son and heir, under age; who married Mary, daughter to Thomas Lord Wentworth of Nettlested, and had issue several sons and daughters, viz. William, Augustine, Thomas, Mary, Margaret, and Anne. This Thomas was the famous navigator, and was the third person, and
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the second Englishman, who sailed round the globe; Stephen Cavendish, third son of Roger de Gernon, was Lord Mayor of London, and died without issue.

JOHN CAVENDISH, eldest son of Roger de Gernon, was constituted Chief Justice of the King's Bench, 39 Edw. III. He had two wives, Rose and Alice, and left issue two sons, and a daughter Margaret. Of the sons,

ANDREW, the eldest, succeeded him; but he dying without issue in 1395,

Sir JOHN, his brother, who killed Wat Tyler*, became heir. He served under King Henry V. in his wars in France, and was in the famous battle of Agincourt; and marrying Joan, daughter to Sir William Clopton, had three sons,

WILLIAM, Robert, and Walter, of which, the eldest married Joan Staventon; and dying in 1433, left a son

THOMAS, whose wife was Catherine Scudamore, and by her he had a son

THOMAS, who married Agnes, daughter and coheir to John Smith of Podbrook, in Suffolk, Esq. and by her had three sons, George, William, and Thomas, and a daughter Mary; and dying in 1524, was succeeded by George his eldest son, who was seated at Glemsford in Suffolk; and was father of William Cavendish, Esq. who had two sons, William and Ralph, who both died without issue. Thomas Cavendish, youngest of the three sons of Thomas and Agnes Smith, was one of the Knights of St. John of Jerusalem, but died unmarried.

WILLIAM, the 2d brother, was, in the 37th of Hen. VIII. knighted by his Majesty, and afterwards made one of his privy council. He married first Anne, daughter to Edward Bostock, Esq. by whom he had a son John, who died young, and two daughters, Anne, married to Sir Henry Bainton, Knight, and Catharine to Thomas Brook, Esq. son of Tho-

* *Wat Tyler being at London, was angry with Sir John Newton, Knt. for approaching with less reverence than he thought was due to him. But Sir William Walworth, then Lord Mayor, being with the King in Smithfield, and seeing Tyler's insolence to his Majesty's servant, could not forbear arresting him; in doing which he wounded the traitor (who furiously struck at him with his dagger) and Mr. Cavendish drew his sword and dispatched him; for which service he was knighted by the King, who likewise gave him 40l. per Ann. to him and his heirs for ever.*

mas Lord Cobham. By his second wife Margaret, daughter to Thomas Parker, of Postlingford in the county of Suffolk, he had no issue: But taking to his third wife, Elizabeth, daughter to John Hardwick, of Hardwick in the county of Derby, Esq. (by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and coheir to Thomas Leak of Loasland, Esq. and at length coheir to John Hardwick her brother, by that match made a great addition to his fortunes; for she being first married to Robert Barley of Barley, in the county of Derby, Esq. who died soon after, without issue, she got his large estate settled on her and her own heirs, which, by the said Sir William Cavendish her second husband, were three sons and three daughters. She afterwards married, 3dly, Sir William St. Lo; and, 4thly, George Talbot, sixth Earl of Shrewsbury. Of the daughters, which were Frances, Elizabeth, and Mary, the latter was married to Gilbert Talbot, seventh Earl of Shrewsbury, the 2d to Charles Stuart, Earl of Lennox (younger brother to Henry Lord Darnley, father to King James I. and were sons of Matthew Stuart, Earl of Lennox, by Margaret his wife, daughter to Archibald Douglas, Earl of Angus, and Margaret his wife, daughter to King Henry VII.) by whom she was mother of the Lady Arabella Stuart, who being married to William Seymour, second son to the Duke of Somerset, without the privity or consent of King James I. that King caused them to be imprisoned in the Tower of London, where she died Sept. 15, 1615, without issue; but Frances the eldest, being married to Sir Henry Pierpoint, Knight, was mother of Robert, 1st Earl of Kingston. Of the sons, which were

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HENRY, William, and Sir Charles, the youngest was seated at Welbeck in the county of Nottingham; and marrying Catharine, daughter and heir to Cuthbert Baron Ogle, afterwards heir of that house, and in 1628, 4 Car. I. declared Baroness Ogle; by her had William Cavendish, his heir, who, in 1620, was advanced to the degree of Baron Ogle, and Viscount Mansfield, and on the 17th of March, 1627, 3 Car. I. was created Baron Cavendish of Belfover, and Earl of Newcastle upon Tyne: He was also, Oct. 27, 1643, created Marquis of Newcastle. On the 16th of March, 1664, 16 Car. II. he was created Earl of Ogle, and Duke of Newcastle, and died in Jan. 1676, leaving issue by Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to William Bassett, of Blore in the County of Stafford, Esq. Henry his successor, and three daughters; whereof, Jane was married to Charles Cheney of Chesham-Boys, in the county of Bucks, Elizabeth to John Egerton,

Egerton, Earl of Bridgewater; and Frances to Oliver St. John, Esq. afterwards Earl of Bolingbroke. Henry, who in 1676, succeeded his father as above, married Frances, eldest daughter to William Pierpoint of Thoresby, Esq. 2d son to Robert Earl of Kingston, and by her had Henry his only son, who was stiled Earl of Ogle, and he marrying Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to Joceline Percy, Earl of Northumberland, he thereupon assumed her name, and bore her arms; but died in his father's lifetime, 1680, without issue, and his father dying on the 26th of July, 1691, without issue male, his honours became extinct, and his five daughters became his coheirs. Elizabeth was first married to Christopher Monk, Duke of Albemarle, and afterwards to Ralph Lord Montagu, created Duke of Montagu; Frances to John Campbell, 2d son to the Earl of Breadalbane in Scotland; Margaret to John Holles Earl of Clare, afterwards created Duke of Newcastle; Catharine to Thomas Tufton, Earl of Thanet; and Arabella to Charles Spencer Earl of Sunderland. We now return to the two eldest sons of Sir William Cavendish and Elizabeth Hardwick his third wife before-mentioned; of which Henry the eldest married the Lady Grace Talbot, youngest daughter to George Earl of Shrewsbury; but his father (who began the noble pile at Chatsworth) dying in the 4th and 5th of Philip and Mary; and the said Henry, without issue, on the 12th of October, 1616, William his brother became heir to the whole estate. His mother, as before-mentioned, married to her third husband, Sir William St. Lo, owner of a great estate, which, in articles of marriage, she took care should be settled on her; and accordingly having no child by him, she lived to enjoy his whole estate. In this third widowhood, not having yet lost her charms of wit and beauty, she captivated the then greatest subject of the realm, George Talbot Earl of Shrewsbury, whom she brought to terms of the greatest honour and advantage to herself and children; for he not only yielded to a considerable jointure, but to an union of families, by taking Mary her youngest daughter to be the wife of Gilbert his son, and afterwards his heir; and giving the Lady Grace, his youngest daughter, to Henry her eldest son, as before-mentioned.

(1st E.) WILLIAM, who became heir as above, was, by King James I. by letters patent, dated May 4, 1605, created Baron Cavendish of Hardwick in the county of Derby; and on the 7th of Aug. 1618, Earl of Devonshire. This noble Earl, by his second wife Elizabeth, daughter to Edward

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Ann Boughton, of Causton in the county of Warwick, Esq. widow of Sir Richard Wortley, of Wortley in the county of York, Knt. had a son John, who was made Knight of the Bath in 1616, and died soon after; but by his first wife Anne, daughter and heir to Henry Kighly, of Kighly in the county of York, Esq. he had three sons and three daughters; whereof Mary the 2d, and Elizabeth the 3d, died young; but Frances, the eldest, was married to Sir William Maynard, Knt. created Lord Maynard. Of the sons, Gilbert the eldest, and James the 3d, dying young,

Christ (2d E.) WILLIAM the 2d, on the 3d of March, 1625, succeeded his father, and was married to Christian, only daughter to Edward Lord Bruce of Kinloss in Scotland. This noble Earl departed this life at his house near Bishopsgate, London (where Devonshire-Square is now built) on the 20th of June, 1628, having had issue by her three sons, and a daughter Anne, married to Robert the 3d Earl of Warwick. Of the sons, which were

(3d E.) WILLIAM, Charles, and Henry, the latter died young; and the 2d, who was a Lieutenant General of Horse, under his cousin the Marquis of Newcastle, in the civil wars, was slain at Gainsborough in 1643; but the eldest, who succeeded his father, married Elizabeth, 2d daughter to William Cecil, the 2d Earl of Salisbury, and by her (who died Nov. 1689) had two sons and a daughter named Anne, who was first married to Charles Lord Rich, only son to Charles Earl of Warwick; and 2dly, to John the 5th Earl of Exeter, and died on the 18th of June, 1703. Of the sons, Charles, the youngest, died on the 3d of March, 1670, unmarried; but

A. E. (1st D.) WILLIAM, the eldest, on the 25th of November, 1684, succeeded his father. On the 14th of Feb. 1689, he was appointed one of the Privy Council, made Steward of the Household, and Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Derby; and on the 3d of March, being elected a Knight of the Garter, was installed on the 14th of May following. At the coronation of King William and Queen Mary, he was made Lord High Steward of England for the day, and carried the regal crown next to the bible and the King's person. On the 12th of May, 1694, he was created Marquis of Hartington, and Duke of Devonshire. He died August 18, 1707, in the 67th year of his age. He married Mary, 2d daughter to James Butler Duke of Ormond, and by her (who died July 31, 1710) he had three sons, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir John Wentworth, of Broadsworth

Broadsworth in the county of York, Bart. And of the sons, which were

(2d D.) WILLIAM, Marq. of Hartington, Lord Henry, and Lord James; the eldest succeeded his father, and the youngest died Dec. 14, 1751, having married Anne, daughter to Elihu Yale, Esq. and by her (who died June 27, 1734) had an only son William, who in March, 1731, was married to Miss Barbara Chandler, daughter to the Bishop of Durham, and died in July, 1751, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Richard Chandler, Esq. son to the Bishop of Durham, in Feb. 1732, who has since changed his name to Cavendish, by an act of parliament in 1752. Lord Henry, 2d son, married Rhoda, only surviving daughter to William Catwright, of Ayno in the county of Northampton, Esq. (by Ursula his 2d wife, daughter to Ferdinando Lord Fairfax of Cameron in Scotland) and dying on the 10th of May, 1700, by her (who died on the 24th of Jan. 1730) left a daughter Mary, married to John Earl of Westmoreland. William, who was the 2d Duke, married Rachel, eldest of the two daughters of William Lord Russel, who was beheaded in 1683, and by her (who died Dec. 28, 1725) had four sons and six daughters. Of the daughters, which were the Ladies Mary, Rachel, Elizabeth, Catharine, Anne, and Diana; Mary, Catharine, and Diana died unmarried; the Lady Rachel married Sir William Morgan of Tredegar in the county of Monmouth; and the Lady Elizabeth married Sir Thomas Lowther, of Holker in the county of Lancaster, Bart. and died in June, 1737. Of the sons, which were William Marquis of Hartington, the Lords James, Charles, and John; the latter died on the 10th of May, 1720; the Lord James died in Nov. 1741; and the Lord Charles, who married the Lady Anne Grey, 4th daughter to Henry Duke of Kent, who died the 20th of Sept. 1733, having two sons Frederick and Henry.

(3d D.) WILLIAM, the eldest son, was born in 1698, and succeeded his father 4 June, 1729. His Grace married on the 27th of March, 1718, Catharine, sole daughter and heir of John Hoskins, of the county of Middlesex, Esq; and by her had issue four sons and three daughters, viz. William, Lord George, Lord Frederick, Lord John, the Lady Caroline, married to William Lord Duncannon, now Earl of Besborough in Ireland, and Lord Ponsonby in the county of Leicester, and died 20th Jan. 1760; the Lady Elizabeth, married in October 1743, to John Ponsonby, brother to the Earl of Besborough; and Lady Rachel, who married Horace Wal-

Catherine of Devonshire died 8 May 1777

pole, Esq; now Lord Walpole of Wolterton. His Lordship dying Dec. 5, 1755, was succeeded by his eldest Son,

7. 2. (4th D.) WILLIAM, late Duke of Devonshire, who on the 13th June, 1751, was called up to the house of peers as Baron Cavendish of Hardwick. His Grace married in March, 1748, the Lady Charlotte Boyle, sole daughter and heir of Richard Earl of Burlington and Cork, which Lady died December 8, 1754, leaving issue, 1. William, the present Duke. 2. Lady Dorothy, born Aug. 17, 1750, married to the Duke of Portland, 8th of Nov. 1766. 3. Lord Richard, born June 19, 1752. 4. Lord George Henry, born Feb. 27, 1754. His Grace died Oct. 2, 1764, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

8. 2. (5th D.) WILLIAM, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Cavendish, May 4, 1605, Earl of Devonshire, August 7, 1618, Marquis of Hartington, and Duke of Devonshire, May 12, 1694.

ARMS.] *Sable*; three harts heads caboshed, *argent*, attired, *or*. [Plate II.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a snake nowed, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two harts, each gorged with a garland or sprig of roses, *proper*; attired, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Carvendo tutus*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Chatsworth and Hardwick, in Derbyshire; and Chiswick in Middlesex.

SPENCER, DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH.

THE most noble GEORGE SPENCER, Duke of MARLBOROUGH, Marquis of Blandford, Earl of Sunderland and Marlborough, Baron Spencer of Wormleighton, and Baron Churchill of Sandridge, and knight of the most noble order of the garter, born Jan. 28, 1738, succeeded his father Charles, Oct. 20, 1758, and married July 23, 1762, Lady Caroline, only daughter of John late Duke of Bedford, by whom he has issue, 1. Lady Caroline, born Oct. 27, 1763. 2. Lady Elizabeth, born Dec. 20, 1764. 3. George, Marquis of Blandford, born March 3, 1766. 4. Lord Henry. 5. Lady Anne.

In the 18th of William the Conqueror, lived ROBERT le Despenfer, who was steward to that king, Brother to Urso de

de Abetot, and at the time of the general survey, held four lordships in the county of Warwick, fifteen in the county of Lincoln, and seventeen in that of Leicester; and in the reign of Henry I. WILLIAM le Despenfer, his son, was also steward to that king; and to him succeeded THURSTAN, whose son ALMARICK was sheriff of Rutland, in the reigns of Henry II. and Richard I. and marrying Amabil, daughter to Walter de Chesnie, had issue two sons Thurstan and Almarick, and a daughter married to William Bardolph. The said sons were both in arms against K. John, who gave the lands of Almarick, their Father, to Osbert Gifford, one of his natural sons. Cotemporary with these, was HUGH le Despencer, another son of the first mentioned Thurstan. To him succeeded HUGH his grandson (son of THOMAS) who married Olivia, a daughter of Philip Basset of Wicomb, Bucks; Widow of Roger Bigod, Earl of Norfolk, by whom he had a son HUGH, and a daughter Eleanor, married to Hugh de Courtenay, father of Hugh the first Earl of Devon, and was succeeded by HUGH his son, called Hugh Despencer, Senior, to distinguish him from Hugh his son, who had always the addition of Junior, the two great favourites of K. Edw. II. the one Earl of Winchester, and the other Earl of Gloucester. Hugh the elder, who was created Earl of Winchester, 15 Edw. III. married Isabel, widow of Patrick Chaworth, daughter of William de Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick. Hugh the son married Eleanor, eldest of the three daughters, and coheirs of Gilbert de Clare, Earl of Gloucester, by Joan his wife, daughter of K. Edw. I. and was created Earl of Gloucester. But Hugh the elder was executed in the 90th Year of his age, and Hugh the younger was executed at Hereford. He had issue Hugh, Edward, and Gilbert, and a daughter married to Richard Earl of Arundel against his will, being under age, and afterwards divorced. Eleanor his wife was kept prisoner in the Tower of London, with her children, but afterwards married William la Zouch of Mortimer; and HUGH, her eldest son, getting into the favour of K. Edward III. was in the wars of Gascoigne and Scotland, and was made a knight banneret. He was stiled Lord of Glamorgan, and had summons to Parliament from the 12th to the 22d Edward III. He married Elizabeth daughter of William Montacute, Earl of Salisbury, and widow of Giles de Baddlesmere, and died 8th Feb. 23 Edward III. without issue. We now return to EDWARD his brother, who married Anne daughter of Henry Lord Ferrers, and left four sons, Edward, Thomas, Henry

Henry, and Gilbert, and dying the 16th Edw. III. left Sir Edward his heir, who was also heir to his uncle Hugh. He was summoned to parliament from the 31st to the 39th Ed. III. and dying the 49th of the same reign, left Thomas his heir, then two years of age, and four daughters, Cecily, who died young; Elizabeth, married 1st to John Arundel, and 2dly to the Lord Zouch; Anne, to Hugh Hastings, and afterwards to Thomas Morley; and Margaret to Robert Ferrers: And Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Bartholomew de Burghersh, survived him. THOMAS, their heir, was in the 21st Rich II. created Earl of Gloucester, by reason of his descent from Gilbert de Clare Earl of Gloucester. He married Constance daughter of Edmund de Langley Duke of York, son to King Edward III. and beheaded by the rabble the 1st of Edward IV. He left one son RICHARD, who married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Ralph Earl of Westmoreland, and died Oct. 7, 1414, being then but 14 years of age, and left no issue; and his widow married Henry Percy the first Earl of Northumberland. He also left two daughters, Elizabeth, who died an infant; and Isabel, married 1st Richard Beauchamp Lord Bergavenny; afterwards Earl of Worcester; and 2dly, Richard Beauchamp Earl of Warwick, by whom she had Henry Duke of Warwick, who left an only daughter who died in her infancy.

Having done with the Principal, we return to GEOFFREY, brother to Hugh, and son of the first-mentioned Thurstan. He died in 1251, leaving JOHN his heir, who married Joan, daughter of Robert le Lou, by whom he had no issue, but by another wife he left WILLIAM his heir, who was succeeded by JOHN his heir, who was esquire of the body to King Henry V. He left issue, by Alice Deverell his wife, NICHOLAS his heir, who by Joan Pollard his wife left two sons, Thomas and William, which THOMAS was father of HENRY Spencer of Badby in the county of Northampton, Esq; who took to wife Isabel daughter and coheir to — Lincoln, and had four sons, John, Thomas, William, and Nicholas, and was succeeded by his eldest son JOHN Spencer, he married the daughter and heir of — Warsted, by whom he had three sons, 1. William; 2d, John Spencer of Hodne, in the county of Warwick, whose daughter Elizabeth married Sir John Grevile, elder brother of Sir John Fulk, Ancestor of the Earl Brook; 3. Thomas Spencer of Badby, whose Son Thomas left four daughters, coheirs to William their brother.

WILLIAM

WILLIAM, eldest son and heir of John, married Elizabeth Sifter to Sir Richard Empson, Kt. and had issue two sons John and Thomas, and a daughter Jane, and was succeeded by

Sir JOHN his eldest son, who died in 1522. He married Isabel daughter and coheir to Walter Graunt, of Snitterfield in the county of Warwick, Esq; by whom he had issue, 1. Sir William; 2. Anthony, who died without issue; 3. Jane, wife of Richard Knightly, Esq; Son of Sir Richard Knightly; 4. Isabel, married to Sir Nicholas Strelly; 5. Dorothy, married to Sir Richard Catesby, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

WILLIAM, who married Susan, daughter to Sir Richard Knightly, and by her had Sir John Spencer, Knight, his successor; Isabel, married to Sir John Cotton, from whom descended Sir John Hynde Cotton, Bart. Jane, married Sir Richard Bridges; Dorothy to Thomas Spenser, Esq; Anne to Sir John Goodwin; and Mary to Thomas Bowles, Esq; He died the 22d of June, 1532, and was succeeded by his son,

Sir JOHN Spencer. He married Catharine daughter to Sir Thomas Kitson of Hengrave in Suffolk, Knight, and had five sons and six daughters; of which Margaret married, 1st, Giles Allington of Horsheath in the county of Cambridge, Esq; and 2dly to Edward Eldrington, Esq; Elizabeth, to George Cary, Lord Hunsdon; Catharine, to Sir Thomas Leigh, of Stoneleigh in the county of Warwick, Knight; Mary, to Sir Edward Aston of Tixall in the County of Stafford, Knight; Anne, 1st, to William Lord Monteaule; 2dly, to Henry Lord Compton; and 3dly to Robert Sackville the 2d Earl of Dorset; and Alice, 1st, to Ferdinando Stanley, Earl of Derby; and 2dly, to Thomas Egerton, Viscount Brackley. And of the sons, Thomas the 2d left an only daughter Alice his heir, who married Sir Thomas Lucy; Sir William, 3d son, was of Yarnton in the County of Oxford, whose son Thomas was created a Baronet by K. James I, Ancestor of Sir Charles Spencer, Knight; Richard Spencer, 4th son, was of Offley in the county of Hertford, whose son John was created a Baronet by King Charles I. which family is extinct; Edward 5th son died without issue, and their father died Nov. 8, 1586.

Sir JOHN the eldest, who succeeded, was knighted by Q. Elizabeth, and he marrying Mary, daughter and heir to Sir Robert Cateline, Knight, Lord Chief Justice of England, by her had

(1st L.)

(1st L.) ROBERT his heir, who was also knighted by the said Queen, and was by James I. created Lord Spencer of Wormleighton, and died Oct. 25, 1627. He married Margaret daughter and coheir to Sir Francis Willoughby, of Woolaton in the county of Nottingham, by whom he had four sons and three daughters; Mary, married to Sir Richard Anderson; Elizabeth, to Sir George Fane, of Burstan in Kent, Knight, 5th son of Francis the 1st Earl of Westmoreland; and Margaret, who died unmarried. The sons were, 1st John, who died before his father; 2d William; 3d Richard; 4th Sir Edward Spencer, Knt. who married Dame Mary, widow of Sir William Reade, of Osterley in Middlesex, Knight.

(2d L.) WILLIAM, the 2d, succeeded; and marrying Penelope, daughter to Henry Wriothesley, Earl of Southampton, by her had six sons and seven daughters; of which 1 Elizabeth was first married to John Lord Craven of Ryton; 2dly, to Henry third son of Thomas Earl of Berkshire; and lastly, to William Lord Crofts; Mary died unmarried; 3 Anne married Sir Robert Townshend; Catharine died unmarried; Alice married Henry the 1st Earl of Drogheda in Ireland; Margaret, to Anthony-Ashley Cooper, the 1st Earl of Shaftesbury; and Rachel, born after the death of her father, died young. Of the sons, Robert, the 2d, was created Viscount Tiviot, in Scotland; and having married Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Spencer, of Yarton in the county of Oxford, Bart. died without issue. William, 3d son, who was of Ashton in the county of Lancaster, married Elizabeth, daughter of Dutton Lord Garard of Bromley, by his 2d wife Elizabeth, 3d daughter and coheir of Henry the 5th Earl of Thomond, and had issue a daughter Elizabeth, married to Robert Hesketh, Esq; whose daughter and heir Elizabeth married the late Earl of Derby; and Richard, Thomas, and John, died unmarried; and their father dying Dec. 19, 1636, was succeeded by

(3d L. and 1st E.) HENRY, his eldest son, who was raised to the dignity of Earl of Sunderland, June 8, 1643; but upon the 20th of September following, he was slain at the battle of Newberry, in the 23d year of his age. He married Dorothy, daughter to Robert Sidney Earl of Leicester, by whom he had a daughter of her name, who was married to George Savile. Marquis of Hallifax, by whom she had a daughter Anne, married to John Vaughan Earl of Carbery in Ireland, and Lord Vaughan of Emlyn in the county of Carmarthen, whose daughter and heir the Lady Anne

Anne married Charles Duke of Bolton; a daughter Penelope, who died unmarried; and an only son Robert. Their mother married, 2dly, Robert Smythe, of Sutton in Kent, Esq; of the Viscount Strangford's family in Ireland, by whom she had issue Robert Smythe, who had issue Henry, father of Sir Sydney-Stafford Smythe, Knight, Chief Baron of the Exchequer.

(2d E.) ROBERT, in 1643, succeeded his father, and dying on the 28th of Sept. 1702, left issue by Anne, 2d daughter to George Digby, Earl of Bristol, two sons, viz. Robert, Lord Spencer, who died unmarried; Charles, his heir, and two daughters; of which the Lady Anne married James² Earl of Arran, afterwards⁴ Duke of Hamilton in Scotland; and Elizabeth, to Donagh Maccarty, Earl of Clancarty in Ireland.

(3d E.) CHARLES succeeded, ¹⁷⁰² and died on the 19th of April, 1722, in the 47th year of his age, having married 1st, the Lady Arabella Cavendish, 5th daughter and coheir to Henry Duke of Newcastle, and by her had an only daughter Frances; who, on the 27th of November 1717, was married to Henry, late Earl of Carlisle. He married 2dly the Lady Anne Churchill, 2d daughter and coheir to John Duke of Marlborough, and by her, who died April 15, 1716, had four sons, Robert, who died in his infancy; Robert, late Earl; Charles, who became Duke of Marlborough, born Nov. 22, 1706, and John Spencer, born May 13, 1708, who married, Feb. 14, 1734, Lady Georgina, 3d daughter to the late Earl Granville, and dying June 19, 1746, left issue one son, John, since created Earl Spencer, and a daughter born in May, 1735, who died at 6 years of age. His Lady since married William Earl Cowper: His Lordship also had two daughters, Anne, married William late Viscount Bateman, and Diana married, in Oct. 1731, John Duke of Bedford, but died in 1736; and the said Earl, marrying to his 3d wife Judith, daughter to Benjamin Tichbourn, Esq; younger brother to Henry Lord Farrard in Ireland, by her had a son, William, who died April 22, 1722, and a daughter Margaret, who also died in her infancy, and the Earl dying as before-mentioned, left his Lady with child of another son, named George, of which she was delivered on the 11th of September; but he died on the 23d of March, 1723, and in 1739, the countess, his mother, married to Sir Robert Sutton, Knight of the Bath, and died in May 17, 1749. We now return to

(4th E.)

(4th E.) ROBERT, who succeeded his father, ¹⁷²² and dying in the 28th Year of his Age, on the 27th of November, 1729, unmarried,

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(5th E. 2d D.) CHARLES, his next brother, became the 5th Earl, and by the death of Henrietta Godolphin, Duchess of Marlborough, who was his mother's eldest sister, and eldest daughter of John Duke of Marlborough, the 24th of Oct. 1733, without issue male, the titles of Duke of Marlborough, Marquis of Blandford, Earl of Marlborough, and Baron of Sandridge devolved on him in right of his mother, who was second daughter of John Duke of Marlborough. As his grace's principal title is derived from him, it will be necessary to give an account of that family: John first Duke of Marlborough, was the son of Sir Winston Churchill, of Wotton-Basset, in Wilts, by a daughter of Sir William Drake, of Ashe in the county of Devon, Bart. Sir Winston had seven sons and four daughters; the three youngest died in their infancy, Arabella the eldest had issue by King James II. James Fitz-James, Duke of Berwick, and a daughter Henrietta, married to Henry Lord Waldegrave, and the said Arabella afterwards married to Colonel Charles Godfrey, and by him left two daughters Charlotte, married to Hugh, late Viscount Falmouth, and Elizabeth, to Edmund Dunch, Esq. Of the sons, which were Winston, John, George, Charles, Montjoy, Jasper, and Theobald; the latter, who was in holy orders, died unmarried Dec. 3, 1685; and Winston, Montjoy, and Jasper, died young; the other brothers were Charles, who was General of her Majesty's Armies. He married Mary, daughter and sole heir to James Gould of Dorchester, but left no issue by her, who married 2dly Montagu the 2d Earl of Abingdon; and George was an admiral of her Majesty's fleet.

JOHN, of whom we are principally to treat, made some campaigns under the greatest generals of those times, viz. Turenne, Condé, and Luxemburgh. Upon his return to England he was made Lieutenant Colonel; not long after which King Charles created him Baron of Aymouth in Scotland; but this honour died with him. King James ascending the throne, he was, in the first year of his reign, May 14, 1685, created Baron Churchill, of Sandridge in the county of Hertford; but all these honours were not sufficient to bring him into the measures of the court-party, against the dictates of honour
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and conscience: and all being ready for the happy revolution that soon followed, he, with the Duke of Grafton, and many others of the protestant nobility, left the King, and went over to the Prince of Orange. King William and Queen Mary were no sooner on the throne but he was created Earl of Marlborough; the same year he commanded the English forces in Flanders, and in 1690, was sent General of the forces to reduce Cork and Kinsale, which service he performed with great dispatch and conduct; the next he made a campaign under King William in Flanders, who, at length, in 1701, appointed him General of the foot, and commander in chief of the English forces in Holland. In 1702, he commanded the army in Flanders, where he took several important places, and on his return to England was made Marquis of Blandford, and Duke of Marlborough. In 1704, he marched to the Danube, routed the French and Bavarian forces at Schellenbergh, and afterwards gave them a total defeat at Hochstet, and was made a Prince of the sacred Roman empire; and on his return to England had the honour and manor of Woodstock voted to him, and the next year settled by act of parliament with 5000l. per annum out of the Post-Office, to him and his heirs. In the year 1705, he marched to the Moselle, returned to the Netherlands, raised the siege of Lisle, and forced the French lines; at the end of this campaign he made a tour to Vienna, where the Emperor made him a grant of the lordship of Mindleheim in Suabia, formerly possessed by Duke Maximillian, uncle to the Duke of Bavaria; from which time he was distinguished by the stile and title of Prince of Mindelheim, and was afterwards invested therein, and admitted by his plenipotentiary, Mr. Stepney, to sit and vote in the college of Princes. In 1706, he defeated the French and Bavarian forces at Ramillies, and gained the whole country of Brabant to the allies. In the year 1708, he with Prince Eugene, defeated the French and Spanish army at Audenarde, covered the siege of Lisle, succoured Brussels, then besieged by the Duke of Bavaria, and retook Ghent and Bruges, and in the year following, they gained a glorious victory at Malplaquet. In 1710, they took the cities of Doway, Bethune, St. Venant, and Aire. In 1711, the Duke forced the French lines, which they looked upon as impenetrable, and took Bouchain in sight of the enemy, though 100,000 strong: notwithstanding all these services he was removed from all his employments, Dec. 31, 1711; but soon after the arrival of his Majesty K. George I. his

his Grace was declared Captain General of all the forces. He married Sarah, daughter of Richard Jennings, of Sandridge in the county of Hertford, Esq. by whom he had issue John, his only son, styled (after his father was made Duke) Marquis of Blandford, who died at Cambridge in 1703, also four daughters; Lady Henrietta, married to Francis Viscount Rialton, late Earl of Godolphin, and her father dying June 16, 1722, without issue male, his titles, except that of Lord Aymouth, descended to the said

2d Duke
HENRIETTA, Countess of Godolphin, his eldest daughter, who had two sons, William and Henry, the latter of which died young, and three daughters. William, who was styled Viscount Rialton, and after the death of his grandfather, was Marquis of Blandford, married April 25, 1729, Maria-Catharina, daughter of Peter Yong, a burgo-master of the province of Utrecht, and sister to the Countess of Denbigh, and died without issue, Aug. 24, 1731; and his mother dying Oct. 24, 1733, without issue male, the titles devolved on

2d Duke
Charles, eldest surviving son of ANNE, 2d daughter of John Duke of Marlborough, as above-mentioned. His other daughters were Lady Elizabeth, married to Scroop, Earl, afterwards Duke of Bridgewater, and Lady Mary, married to John Duke of Montagu, by whom she had two daughters, Lady Isabella, married 1st to William Montagu, Duke of Manchester, by whom she had no issue; and 2dly, to Sir Edward Hussey Montagu, Knight of the Bath, now Lord Beau-lieu, by whom she has issue; and Lady Mary, married to George, Earl of Cardigan, who also takes the name of Montagu, and has since been created Duke of Montagu. His

Charles Spencer 2d Duke
Grace, on the 23d of May, 1732, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Lord Trevor, by whom he had issue Lady Diana, born the 4th of March, 1735; married in Sept. 1757, to the

3d Duke
3^d Lord Viscount Bolingbroke. from whom she was divorced, and is since married to Topham Beauclerk, son of Lord Sidney Beauclerk. Lady Elizabeth, born the 29th of December, 1737, married to Henry Earl of Pembroke, March 13, 1756; George, the present Duke; Lord Charles, born 31st March 1740. married 2d October, 1762, to Mary only daughter of Lord Vere, by whom he has two sons George, born 6 July, 1763, and Charles. Lord Robert, born 8th May, 1747. On July 25, 1758, his Grace was appointed Commander in Chief of all the British Forces that were intended to serve on the Lower Rhine: And Aug. 29th following, General over all the Foot Forces, but his Grace dying

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at Munster, in October the same year, was succeeded by his son.

(6th E. and 3d D.) GEORGE, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Churchill of Sandridge, in the county of Hertford, May 14, 1685, 1 Jac. II. Baron Spencer, of Wormleighton, in the county of Warwick, July 21, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Earl of Marlborough, in the county of Wilts, April 9, 1689, 1 William and Mary; Earl of Sunderland, June 8, 1643, 19 Car. I. and Marquis of Blandford, in the county of Dorset, and Duke of Marlborough, Dec. 14, 1702, 1 Q. Anne.

ARMS.] Quarterly, 1st and 4th quarterly, *Argent* and *gules*, in the 2d and 3d a fret *or*; over all on a bend *sable*, three escallop shells of the first; for Spencer. Second and third, *sable*, a lion rampant, *argent*, in a canton of the second, the cross of England: for Churchill. [Plate II.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet *or*, a Griphon's head between two wings erect, *argent*, gorged with a plain collar, *gules*, and beaked, of the first.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a Griphon party per fess, *argent* and *or*; on the sinister a Wyvern, *argent*, their wings expanded, each having a plain collar and chain, *sable*, and their collar charged with three escallop shells, as in the coat.

MOTTO.] *Dieu defend le Droit.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Blenheim, in Oxfordshire; and at Langley, in Bucks.

MANNERS DUKE OF RUTLAND.

THE most noble JOHN MANNERS, ^{3d} Duke of Rutland, Marquis of Granby, Baron Roos, of Ham-lake, Trusbut and Belvoir, and Baron Manners of Had-don, succeeded his father, February 22, 1721: His Grace was born October 21, 1696; and on August 27, 1717, married Bridget, only daughter and heir of Robert Sutton Lord Lexington, by whom he has had issue five sons and six daughters, of which lived to maturity,

1. John, late Marquis of Granby, born January 2, 1721, died October 18, 1770; he married, September 3, 1750, the Lady Frances Seymour, eldest daughter of the late Charles, Duke of Somerset; by which Lady, who died January 25, 1760, he had issue, 1. John Lord Roos, born August 22, 1751, died June 3, 1760. 2. Charles,

now Marquis of Granby, born March 15, 1754, married December 28, 1775, to Lady Isabella, sister to the Duke of Beaufort, and has a daughter Elizabeth-Isabella, born September 28, 1776. 3. Lady Frances, born March 24, 1753, married July 9, 1772, to George, Earl of Tyrconnel. 4. Lady Catherine, died young. 5. Lord Robert, born February 6, 1758.

2. Lord Robert Sutton, born February 2, 1722; died November 27, 1762.

3. Lord George Sutton, born March 8, 1723, who took the name of Sutton after the death of his brother Robert, and married December, 1749, to Diana, daughter of Thomas Chaplain, of Blankley, in the county of Lancaster, Esq; by which Lady, who died April 23, 1767, he hath issue. 1. George, born August 1, 1751. 2. John, born July 12, 1752. 3. Robert, born January 5, 1754. 4. Charles, born February 14, 1755. He married secondly, February 5, 1768, Miss Peate.

The daughters died unmarried; and the Duchefs, their mother, died in June, 1734.

HENRY de Manners, in the 25th of Hen. II. paid eighty marks for livery of his father's lands in Northumberland; and from him descended,

Sir ROBERT de Manners, of Ethale, in the said county; who married Aliva, daughter and heir of Sir Henry Strather, of Newton Glendal, and had issue,

Sir JOHN de Manners, who by Alice, widow of William de Witchostoe, had one son,

Sir JOHN de Manners, who married Joan, daughter of Sir Robert Ogle, and had issue Sir Robert, his heir; John, who is buried at St. Mary's church, Warwick; and Gilbert.

Sir ROBERT the eldest, married Eleanor, daughter to Thomas, and eldest of the three sisters, and coheirs to Edmund Lord Roos, lineally descended from Robert Lord Roos, of Hamlake, by Isabel his wife, only child and heir to William de Albini, Lord of Belvoir, who was descended in a direct male line from Robert de Toden, a noble Norman, the builder of Belvoir Castle, in the reign of William the Conqueror, and by her had issue two sons, George and Edward, and two daughters, Elizabeth, married to Sir William Fairfax, and Cecily, to Thomas Fairfax, sons of Sir Guy Fairfax, Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Common-Pleas.

(1st L.) GEORGE, his heir, who in right of his mother, was Lord Roos, in the 4th Henry VIII. accompanied that
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King in the sieges of Therouenne and Tournay; but died the next year. He married Anne, sole daughter and heir to Sir Thomas St. Leger, by Anne his wife, eldest sister to King Edward IV. and widow of Henry Holland, Duke of Exeter; and by her had five sons, Thomas, Sir Oliver, Anthony, Sir Richard, and John; and six daughters; Elizabeth, married to Thomas Lord Sands, of the Vine, in Hampshire; Catherine, to Sir Robert Constable, of Everingham, in the county of York; Eleanor, to John Bouchier, Earl of Bath; Cecily, died unmarried; Margaret, married 1st, to Sir Henry Strangeways, 2dly, to Robert Heneage, Esq; grandfather of Elizabeth, who was created Countess of Winchelsea; and Anne, married to Sir Henry Capel, of Raynes, in Essex. Of the sons, Sir Richard married Margaret, daughter of Sir Robert Dimock, of Scrivelsby, in the county of Lincoln, widow of Richard Vernon, Esq; by whom she had Sir George Vernon, whose sole daughter and heir Dorothy married Sir John Manners, second son of Thomas Earl of Rutland; but the said Margaret had no issue by Sir Richard, who married 2dly, the widow of Sir William Coffyn, of Portledge, in the county of Devon, by whom he had one son, John; and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d L. 1st E.) THOMAS Lord Roos, who had special livery of all the manors, castles, and lands descended to him from the Lady Eleanor, his grandmother, and was on the 28th of June, 1525, created Earl of Rutland; and had thereupon an augmentation to his ancient arms, by reason of his descent from the sister of King Edward IV. He married 1st, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Robert Lovel, by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Eleanor, daughter to Sir William Paston, by whom he had five sons and six daughters, and died on the 20th of September, 1543. Of the daughters, Gertrude married George Talbot, the 6th Earl of Shrewsbury; Anne, to Henry Nevil, Earl of Westmorland; Frances, to Henry Nevil, the 4th Lord Abergavenny; Catherine, to Sir Henry Capel; Elizabeth, to Sir John Savage; and Isabella died young. And of the sons, which were Henry, Sir John, Roger, Sir Thomas, and Oliver, the latter died at twenty years of age; the 4th married Theodocia, daughter of Sir Thomas Newton, Knt. and left Charles his heir, and two daughters; Anne, married to William Vavasor, of Haslewood, in Yorkshire, Esq; by whom she had Sir Thomas Vavasor, created a Baronet the 4th Car. I. Sir John the 2d, was seated at

Wyverton, in the county of Nottingham, but taking to wife Dorothy, daughter and coheir to Sir George Vernon, of Haddon, in the county of Derby, Knt. beforementioned, (who, for his magnificence and hospitality, was called King of the Peak) he became possessed of that manor; of whom hereafter, and

(2d E.) HENRY the eldest, succeeded his father. He married 1st Margaret, daughter to Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmorland, and had two sons, Edward and John, and a daughter Elizabeth, who married Sir William Courtenay, of Powderham, in the county of Devon; by his second wife, Bridget, daughter to John Lord Hussy, of Sleaford, in the county of Lincoln, and widow of Sir William Morrison, who afterwards married Francis, Earl of Bedford, he had no issue.

(3d E.) EDWARD the eldest, on September 27, 1563, succeeded his father; he married Isabel, daughter of Sir Thomas Holecraff, of Vale-Royal, in the county of Chester, and had a daughter Elizabeth, who was married to Sir William Cecil, Lord Burleigh, son and heir to Thomas, Earl of Exeter, by whom she had William Cecil, Lord Roos; but he died in Italy, in 1618, without issue; and the said Edward dying on the 14th of April, 1587, without issue male.

(4th E.) JOHN his brother, became heir, and died February 1, 1588, leaving issue by Elizabeth, daughter to Francis Charlton, of Appley, in the county of Salop, Esq; nine sons and four daughters; Bridget, Frances, Elizabeth, and Mary; of which the eldest married Robert Tirwhit, of Kettleby, in the county of Lincoln, Esq; the 2d, to William the third Lord Willoughby, of Parham; the 3d, to Emanuel Lord Scroop, of Bolton, and Earl of Sunderland, but had no issue; and Mary, died unmarried. Of the sons, who were

(5th E.) ROGER, Francis, Sir George, and six more, who died without issue; the eldest succeeded his father; and married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to the famous Sir Philip Sidney, but dying the 26th of June, 1612, without issue,

(6th E.) FRANCIS his brother, became heir; as the title of Lord Roos, then enjoyed by Sir William Cecil before-mentioned, as son and heir of Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir of Edward, 3d Earl of Rutland, who had that title by descent from Eleanor, grandmother of Thomas, the first Earl, could not justly be enjoyed by himself, he
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procured a special patent, bearing date 22d July, 1616, whereby in consideration that he was then possessed of the land and barony of Hamlake, it was declared that he should therefore be accepted and called Lord Roos, of Hamlake; and that his son and heir should also enjoy the same name and title; to whom also the title of Lord Roos reverted, by the death of this Sir William Cecil, and afterwards of George, Duke of Buckingham, without issue. He married first Frances, daughter and coheir to Sir Henry Knevitt, of Charleton, in Wilts, by whom he had one only child Catherine, married first to George Villiers, Duke of Buckingham, whose son, George, Duke of Buckingham, claimed the title of Lord Roos, and was allowed it; but dying without issue, it returned to the Rutland family as before-mentioned; and 2dly, to Randolph Macdonnell, Earl of Antrim, in Ireland: By his second wife, Cicely, sister to Nicholas, the first Earl of Thanet, and widow of Sir Edward Hungerford; he had two sons, Henry and Francis, but they both died in their childhood; and the said Earl Francis, dying December 17, 1632, without issue male,

(7th E.) GEORGE, his next brother, succeeded him in his honour and estate. He married Frances, daughter of Sir Edward Cary, sister to Henry, the first Viscount Falkland, and relict of Ralph Bashe, of Stansted, Hertfordshire, Esq; and died without issue the 29th of March, 1641. We now return to Sir JOHN Manners, second son of Thomas, the first Earl, which Sir John marrying Dorothy, daughter and coheir to Sir George Vernon, as before-mentioned, by her had Sir GEORGE Manners, John, who died at the age of 14 years, and Sir Roger, who died unmarried; and a daughter Grace, married to Sir Francis Fortescue, of Salden, Bucks. Of the sons, the eldest married Grace, second daughter to Sir Henry Pierpoint, and sister to Robert, Earl of Kingston, by whom he had John his heir, Henry, and Roger, who both died young, and five daughters; Elizabeth, married Robert Sutton, afterwards Lord Lexington; Eleanor, to Lewis Watton, Lord Rockingham; Frances, to Nicholas Saunderson, Viscount Castleton; Dorothy, to Sir Thomas Lake, of Stanmore, Middlesex; and Mary, to Sir Sackville Crow. Their father dying in April 1623, was succeeded by his eldest son,

1641 (8th E.) JOHN, who succeeded George, Earl of Rutland, married Frances, daughter to Edward Lord Montagu, of Boughton, and had four sons, George, Edward

and Roger, who all died young; John, his third son and heir, and seven daughters; of which Frances, married John Cecil, the 4th Earl of Exeter; Grace, to Patrick Viscount Chaworth, in Ireland; and 2dly, to Sir William Langhorn, of Charlton, in Kent. **Bart. Dorothy**, to Anthony, the second Earl of Shaftesbury; **Elizabeth**, to James, the second Earl of Anglesea; **Margaret**, to James Cecil, the third Earl of Salisbury; **Anne**, to Scroop Viscount How, in Ireland; and Mary, who died young.

(9th E. and 1st D.) **JOHN**, who was heir to the 8th Earl, was summoned to Parliament by writ, April 29, 1679, by the title of John Lord Manners, of Haddon; but his father dying the 29th of September the same year, he became the 9th Earl. He was by Queen Anne, on the 9th of March, 1703, created Marquis of Granby and Duke of Rutland. He married first, the Lady Anne Pierpoint, eldest daughter to Henry, Marquis of Dorchester; but was divorced from her by sentence of the spiritual Court, her issue disabled by Act of Parliament, to inherit any of his lands or honours, and he also enabled to marry again. His second wife was Lady Diana Bruce, daughter to Robert, Earl of Ailesbury, and widow of Sir Seymour Shirley, of Stanton-Harold, in the county of Leicester, and had no issue by her, except a son, who died the same day he was born, and of whom she died in child-bed. He, on the 8th of January, 1673, took to his third wife Catherine, daughter to Baptist Noel, Viscount Campden; and by her, who died January 24, 1733, had two sons, and two daughters; the Lady Catherine, married John Lord Gower; and Dorothy, to Baptist Noel, Earl of Gainsborough. And of the sons, which were

(2d D.) **JOHN**, born in 1676, and Thomas-Baptist; the latter died the 29th of June, 1705, unmarried; and the eldest, succeeding his father on the 10th of January, 1711, was the second Duke. He married first Catherine, second daughter to William Lord Russel, who was beheaded in 1683; and by her, (who died the 31st of October, 1711) had four sons and four daughters; 1st, John, the present Duke; 2d, Lord William Manners, died May 23, 1772; 3d, Lord Thomas, who died unmarried, 1723; 4th, Lord Edward, who died young; 5th, Lady Catherine, married in 1726, to the late Right Hon. Henry Pelham, Esq; brother to the Duke of Newcastle; 6th, Lady Rachael, who died young; 7th, Lady Frances, married in 1732, to Richard Arundel, Esq; and is deceased;

ceased; 8th, Lady Elizabeth, married to John Monkton, Viscount Galway, of the Kingdom of Ireland. His Grace married January 1, 1713, to his second wife, ~~the~~ Lady Lucy, sister to Bennet Sherrard, late Earl of Harborough, by whom he had issue, 1st, Lord Sherrard Manners, who died in 1742; 2d, Lord Robert Manners; who married January 1, 1756, Miss Mary Digges, by whom he has had Robert, John James, Mary, and Lucy. 3. Lord Henry, who died in 1745; 4. Lord Charles, died December 5, 1761; 5. Lord James; 6. Lady Carolina, married first, in 1734, to Sir Henry Harpur, Bart. 2dly, July 18, 1753, to Sir Robert Burdett, Bart. 7. Lady Lucy, married in 1742, to his Grace William Graham, Duke of Montrose, and his Grace dying February 22, 1721, was succeeded by his son,

(3d D.) JOHN, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Roos, &c. Nov. 12, 1515, Earl of Rutland, June 18, 1525, Marquis of Granby, and Duke of Rutland, March 29, 1703.

ARMS.] Or, two bars, *azure*, a chief, quarterly of the *second*, and *gules*, the first charged with two fleurs de lis, of the *first*, and the last with a lion of the *same*, which chief was anciently *gules*, and the charge thereon is an honorary augmentation, shewing his descent from the blood royal of King Edward IV. [Plate III.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up with *ermine*, a peacock in pride, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *argent*; their horns, crests, tufts, and hoofs, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Pour y parvenir.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Haddon-Hall in Derbyshire; Belvoir Castle, in Lincolnshire.

DOUGLAS, DUKE OF DOVER.

THE most noble CHARLES DOUGLAS, Duke of Dover and Queensbury, Marquis of Beverley and Sollway, Earl and Viscount Drumlanrig, Baron of Rippon, was born at Edinburgh, in November 1698. His Grace, in March 1720, married the Lady Catherine Hyde, second daughter of Henry Hyde, Earl of Rochester.

See the DUKE of QUEENSBURY in the Peerage of Scotland.

HAMILTON, DUKE OF BRANDON.

THE most noble DOUGLAS HAMILTON, Duke of BRANDON and HAMILTON, Marquis of Hamilton, and Baron of Dutton.

See the DUKE of HAMILTON in the Peerage of Scotland.

BERTIE, DUKE OF ANCASTER.

THE most noble PEREGRINE BERTIE, Duke of ANCASTER and KESTIVEN, Marquis and Earl of Lindsey, Baron Willoughby, of Eresby; Lord Great Chamberlain of England, by inheritance; succeeded his father Peregrine, the late Duke, January 1, 1742. He married, May 22, 1735, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to William Blundel, of Basingstoke, in the county of Southampton, Esq; and relict of Sir Charles Gunter Nichol, by whom he had no issue. He married to his second wife, November 27, 1750, Mary, daughter of Thomas Panton, Esq; master of the King's running-horses; by whom he has had issue, 1. Peregrine, died young. 2. Robert, Marquis of Lindsey, born November 4, 1756. 3. Lady Mary Catherine, died in April, 1767. 4. Lady Priscilla Barbara Elizabeth. 5. Lady Georgina Charlotta.

This family is said to come into England with the Saxons, from a place called Bertiland, on the borders of Prussia; and of it was

LEOPOLD de Bertie, who in the reign of K. Etheldred, was owner of a town in Kent, called Bersted, so named from himself; but he having a quarrel with the Monks of Canterbury about their tythe (wherein his eldest son was killed) he complained to the King in hopes of redress, which Alphegus, the Archbishop preventing, he solicited Suene, K. of Denmark, to invade the realm, and assisting him therein, he besieged and took Canterbury, making prisoner the Archbishop, &c. And the death of his son was revenged, in the year 1014, by murdering every tenth Monk in the Abbey; but Etheldred afterwards prevailing over the Danes, Barbachins, the only son of Leopold, was forced to fly to Robert, King of France, for sanctuary, where his posterity remained till the year 1154, when

PHILIP

PHILIP de Bertie coming over with K. Henry II. that King, for his valour, restored him to his ancient patrimony of Bersted. He had issue MARTIN, father of ROBERT; whose son WILLIAM, had issue EDWARD, father of

JEROME, who, hearing a Monk exclaiming at church against the murder committed by his ancestor, rushed in upon him and slew him; for which rash act he was excommunicated by the Archbishop; but going to Rome, he there obtained absolution, and afterwards became a great benefactor to that church; to him succeeded

ROBERT, father of another ROBERT, who by a daughter of ——— Pepper, had issue

THOMAS Bertie, Esq; who, by a daughter of ——— Say, of the county of Salop, had a son

RICHARD, who married Catherine, only daughter and heir to William, the last Lord Willoughby, of Eresby, elder brother to Christopher, father of William, the first Lord Willoughby, of Parham, and widow of Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, but this great Duchess being most zealous for the reformation, drew both herself and her husband into danger, so that they were forced to fly beyond sea, settling in Poland till the death of the Queen. During the time of their travels, this lady had a son, whom by reason of his being born abroad, was christened Peregrine; and had also a daughter Susannah, married to Reginald Grey, Earl of Kent, and afterwards to Sir John Wingfield, Knt. This

(1st L.) PEREGRINE, in the Parliament of the 1st of Elizabeth, 1559, was made free Denizen; and upon the death of Catherine his mother, in 1580, claiming the dignity of Lord Willoughby, of Eresby, was admitted to take his seat in Parliament the 16th of January following. He married Mary, daughter to John Vere, Earl of Oxford, by Margaret his second wife, and sister and heir of the Half Blood to Earl Edward; and dying in 1601, left five sons, and a daughter Catherine, married to Sir Lewis Watson, afterwards Lord Rockingham; and of the sons, which were Robert, Peregrine, Henry, Vere, and Roger; the eldest succeeded his father. This

(2d L. 1st E.) ROBERT, in the 1st of James I. making his claim to the Earldom of Oxford, as also, to the title of Lord Bulbeck, Standford, and Badlesmere, and to the office of Lord High Chamberlain of England, as son and heir to Mary, sole daughter of the great Family of Vere, after much dispute, had judgment in his behalf, for the office

But the Barons were judged to be in a beyond
 * office of Lord High Chamberlain; and the same year took his seat above all the Barons. In the 2d of Charles I. he was advanced to the dignity of Earl of Lindsey; and on August 22, 1642, being chosen General of the King's forces at the breaking out of the Civil War, he on the 23d of October following, received his death-wound at the battle of Edge-hill. He married Elizabeth, only child of Edward, the 1st Lord Montagu of Boughton, by his first wife; and by her, who died November 30, 1654, had nine sons, of which Montagu and Roger were made Knights of the Bath, and the latter was married to Ursula, daughter and heir of Sir Edward Lawley, and left a son Robert, who died without issue; Robert, 3d son, died in 1608; Sir Peregrine, 4th son, married the daughter and coheir of Mr. Daniel Harvey, and left issue Elizabeth, his only daughter and heir, married to William Lord Widrington; Francis, 5th son, was killed in the King's service in Ireland, in 1641; Robert, 6th son, born January 1, 1619, married 1st Alice, daughter of Richard Barnard, Esq; 2dly, Elizabeth, 2d daughter of Sir John Bennet; and 3dly, Mary, daughter to Robert Halsey, Esq; and relict of John Crosbie, Esq; Henry, 7th son, lost his life in the King's service at the battle of Newbery; Vere, 8th son, died unmarried; Edward, 9th son, born October 17, 1624, died December 25, 1686. And having also five daughters; Lady Catherine was married to Sir William Passon, Bart. Lady Elizabeth, to Sir Miles Stapylton, Kt. Lady Anne, died unmarried; Lady Sophia was married to Sir Richard Chaworth, who was beheaded; and afterwards to Sir Abraham Shipman, Kt.

Montagu
 (2d E.) Sir MONTAGU, his eldest son, married 1st Martha, 3d daughter to Sir William Cockain, of London, Kt. and Alderman, and sister to Charles, the 1st Visc. Cullen of the Kingdom of Ireland, widow of John Ramsey, Earl of Holdernefs, and by her had five sons and three daughters; and by his 2d, who was Bridget, daughter and sole heir to Edward Wray, Esq; by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heir to Francis Lord Norris, Earl of Berkshire; he had two sons and a daughter Mary, who was married to Charles Dormer, Earl of Caernarvon: And of the sons by the 2d wife, which were James and Henry, the latter married Philadelphia, daughter to Sir Edward Norris, by whom she had issue two sons and three daughters, of which
Bridget
2d wife
3d son
Henry
 * James the eldest married Elizabeth, daughter of Roger Harris, of Winchester, Esq; by whom he left issue one son,

son, Norris Bertie, Esq; ^xCharles-Montague Bertie^x, the 2d son, was late Rector of Uffington, in the county of Lincoln. Of the daughters of the Earl, Eleanor and Anne died unmarried; and Catherine married Francis Clark, Esq. who left issue one son, Francis;) and the said Henry married to his 2d wife, a sister of Sir Henry Fetherstone, Bart. by whom he left no issue; and died at Chesterton in Oxfordshire, in December 1734; and James, the eldest son by the 2d wife, who was Lord Norris, by descent, in right of his mother, was created Earl of ABINGDON. Of the daughters by his 1st wife, which were Elizabeth, Bridget, and Catherine, the eldest married Baptist Noel, Visc. Campden; the 2d to Sir Thomas Osborne, Kt. afterwards Duke of Leeds; and the youngest to Robert Dormer, Esq. Of the sons by the 1st wife, which were Robert, Peregrine, Richard, Vere, and Charles; the latter married Mary, daughter to Peter Tryon; widow of Sir Samuel Jones, and by her had two sons and two daughters; of which, Elizabeth, the eldest, was married to Charles Mildmay, Lord Fitz-Walter; but Maria died young, as did Thomas the eldest son; but Charles married Mary, daughter and heir to John Norborne, Esq; and had issue one daughter Sufanna, married to Edward Hales, Esq; brother to Sir Christopher Hales, Bart. and three sons, 1st Charles, married Bethsheba, daughter of Dr. Mead, by whom he had issue five sons, Charles, Richard, James, Montagu, and Vere; Peregrine, 2d son, married Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Payne, and has a son Peregrine, born in 1739; Norborne, 3d son, was Rector of West-Deeping, in the county of Lincoln; Vere, 4th son of Montagu, Earl of Lindsey, died unmarried, as did Richard the 3d son; but Peregrine, the 2d son of the Earl of Lindsey, marrying Susan, daughter to Sir Edward Monins, Bart. had two daughters, Bridget, wife of John Earl Powlett, and Mary, who was married to Anthony Henly, Esq; and afterwards to Henry Bertie, Esq; 3d son of James, the 1st Earl of Abingdon. To Montagu, the 2d Earl, who died July 25, 1666, succeeded

(3d E.) ROBERT, his eldest son; who marrying Mary, 2d daughter and coheir to John Massingberd, of London, Merchant, by her had one daughter Arabella, who married Thomas Savage, Earl Rivers; but taking to his 2d wife, Elizabeth, daughter to Philip Lord Wharton, by her had five sons; and by his 3d wife, who was Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Pope, Earl of Downe, in

1st Francis Pope, her sister, married Francis Ireland, 1st Lord Guilford 10 pa. 305

(relict of Sir Isaac Newton, See V. by him)

Ireland, and mother of the 1st Earl of Litchfield, he had one son, and one daughter, Charles and Elizabeth, who both died unmarried. Of the five sons by the second wife, which were Robert, Peregrine, Philip, Norris, and Albemarle; the latter died in January 1741-2; Norris died unmarried, Philip died unmarried, April 15, 1728; and Peregrine died without issue, July 10, 1711.

(1st D.) ROBERT, the eldest son, on the 8th of May, 1701, succeeded his father. He was in 1690, called up by writ to the House of Peers, as Lord Willoughby, of Eresby. On the 29th of December, 1706, he was created Marquis of Lindsey; and on the 29th of July, 1717, created Duke of Ancaster and Kesteven. He married 1st Mary, daughter to Sir Richard Wynn, by whom he had issue, 1. Robert, who died unmarried; 2. Peregrine, the late Duke; 3. Lady Elizabeth; 4. Lady Eleanor; 5. Lady Mary, died unmarried. ¹⁷⁰³ He married secondly, Albinia, daughter of William Farrington, Esq; of Chislehurst in Kent, by whom he had issue, 1. Lord Vere, who died September 13, 1768, having married Miss Anne Casey, and left issue two daughters, Albinia, married to the Honourable George Hobart; and Louisa. 2. Lord Montagu, who married Anne, daughter of William Piers, Esq; and died December 12, 1763, leaving two daughters, Augusta, married to John Lord Burghersh, and Frances. 3. Lord Robert, married April 5, 1762, Mary, daughter of Montagu, late Viscount Blundell, and widow of Robert, late Lord Raymond. 4. Lord Thomas, died July 21, 1749. 5. Lady Louisa, married in 1736, to Thomas Bludworth, Esq;

(2d D.) PEREGRINE, the late Duke was born April 29, 1686, and on March 16, 1715, was summoned by writ to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord Willoughby, of Eresby, and on July 26, 1723, succeeded his father. His Grace married Jane, daughter and coheir to Sir John Brownlow, of Belton, in the county of Lincoln, Bart. and by her, who died in September 1736, had three sons and five daughters, viz. 1. Peregrine, the present Duke; 2. Lord Albemarle Bertie; 3. Lord Brownlow Bertie, married to Miss Pitt, who died in April 1763, and he married secondly, January 2, 1769, Mary-Anne, daughter of Major Layard. His daughters were, 1. Lady Mary, married to Samuel Greathead, Esq; and died April 24, 1774; 2. Lady Albinia, married to John Beckford,

ford, Esq; on March 8, 1744; and died in March 1754;
 3. Lady Jane, married to Major Matthews; 4. Lady Carolina, married March 31, 1753, to George Dewar, Esq; and died June 13, 1774; 5. Lady Anne, died in August, 1735. His Grace dying the 1st of January, 1742, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d D.) PEREGRINE, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron by writ, January 16, 1580, Earl of Lindsey, November 22, 1626, Marquis, December 21, 1706, and Duke, June 29, 1715.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three battering rams, barways, armed and garnished, *azure*. [Plate III.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the busto of a King (named Barbicon) couped at the breast, *proper*, crowned ducally, *or*, being the crest of the Barons Willoughby. Their crest, as Bertie, is a pine-tree, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a pilgrim, or fryar, vested in russet, with his staff and pater-noster, *or*. On the sinister, a savage wreathed about the temples and middle, with ivy, all *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Loyaulté me oblige*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Grimsthorpe, in the county of Lincoln.

BENTINCK, DUKE OF PORTLAND.

THE most noble WILLIAM HENRY CAVENDISH BENTINCK, Duke of PORTLAND, Marquis of Titchfield, Viscount Woodstock, and Baron of Cirencester, born April 14, 1738, succeeded his father William, May 1, 1762, and married, November 3, 1766, Lady Dorothy, sister to the Duke of Devonshire, by whom he has a son, William Henry Cavendish, Marquis of Titchfield, born June 29, 1768; and another son, Lord William Henry Cavendish, born in July, 1770.

This Duke is descended from a very ancient and noble family, in the United Provinces of Holland, of which was

(1st B. and E.) WILLIAM Bentinck, who in his youth, was Page of Honour to William, Prince of Orange. In 1677, he was sent into England, by that Prince, to solicit a match with the Lady Mary, eldest daughter to James then Duke of York; and on the 4th of November ensuing, they being married, the said Mr. Bentinck, was on their Majesties Accession made Groom of the Stole, and Privy

Privy Purse to his Royal Master, a Lieut. General of his Majesty's Army, Colonel and Captain of a Regiment of Dutch Horse, one of his Privy Council, Gentleman of the Horse, Baron of Cirencester, Visc. Woodstock, and Earl of Portland. And the next year, being appointed his Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary to the Court of France, he filled that employment with equal honour to the King, and the British Nation, and outshone the magnificence and pomp of all the most splendid embassies ever beheld at that Court, and was one of the most celebrated Statesmen of his time. He married 1st Anne, sister to Edward, Earl of Jersey, by whom he had issue three sons and five daughters, viz. 1. William, who died in his infancy; 2. Henry, second son, afterwards Duke of Portland; also another William, who died young in Holland; 4. Lady Mary, eldest daughter, married to Algernon, Earl of Essex, and after his decease to Sir Conyers D'arcy, only brother to Robert, late Earl of Holderness; 5. Lady Anna Margaretta, second daughter, married to Mons. Duyvenvorde, one of the principal nobles of Holland; 6. Lady Frances Williamina, third daughter, married to William Lord Byron, and died March 31, 1712; 7. Lady Eleonora, fourth daughter, died unmarried; 8. Lady Isabella, youngest daughter, married to Evelyn Pierepoint, Duke of Kingston, and died on February 23, 1728. His Lordship, on May 16, 1700, married his second wife, Jane, sixth daughter of Sir John Temple, of East-Sheen, in the county of Surry, Bart. sister to Henry Lord Viscount Palmerston, and widow of John Lord Berkeley, of Stratton; and by her, (who died March 26, 1751) had two sons and four daughters. 1. William, one of the nobles of Holland; 2. Charles-John, an officer in the army of the States-General; 3. Lady Sophia, married March 24, 1739, to his Grace Henry de Grey, late Duke of Kent; 4. Lady Elizabeth, married to Dr. Henry Egerton, Bishop of Durham, brother to Scroop, Duke of Bridgewater; 5. Lady Harriot, married to James Hamilton, late Earl of Clanbrassil, in the kingdom of Ireland; 6. Lady Barbara, married to William, now Lord Godolphin, and died April 15, 1756; and the Earl dying on November 23, 1709, in the 62d year of his age, was succeeded by Henry his son, by Anne his 1st wife: which

(1st D.) HENRY was created Marquis and Duke, and made Captain-General and Governor in Chief of the Island of Jamaica, where he died (at St. Iago) July 4, 1726, in the

the 45th year of his age. He married on the 9th of June, 1704, the Lady Elizabeth Noel, eldest daughter and coheir to Wriothesley-Baptist, Earl of Gainsborough, and by her, who died in March 1737, had, 1. William, late Duke of Portland, and 2. Lord George, a Colonel of Foot, born December 1715, and died March 2, 1759; 3. Lady Anne, married to Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel Paul, died in January 1749; 4. Lady Isabella, married November 8, 1739, to Henry Monk, Esq; of Ireland; 5. Lady Amelia, married to Jacob Arran Van Wassenar, one of the nobles of Holland, died in January 1756.

(2d D.) WILLIAM, the late Duke, was born in March, 1709, succeeded his father Henry, July 4, 1726, and married July 11, 1734, the Lady Margaret Harley, only daughter and heiress of Edward, Earl of Oxford, by whom he had issue, 1. Lady Elizabeth, married May 22, 1759, Thomas, the present Viscount Weymouth; 2. Lady Henrietta, married to ^{George Harry} ~~now~~ Earl of Stamford; 3. William Henry Cavendish, the present Duke; 4. Lady Margaret, who died April 28, 1756; 5. Lady Frances, who died in March 1742; and 6. Lord Edward Charles, born March 3, 1744. And his Grace dying May 1, 1762, was succeeded by

(3d D.) WILLIAM-HENRY, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Cirencester, Viscount Woodstock, and Earl of Portland, April 9, 1689, 1. W. and M. and Marq. of Titchfield, and Duke of Portland, July 6, 1716, 2 Geo. 1.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a cross moline, *argent*. [Plate IV.]

CREST.] Out of a Marquis's coronet, *proper*, two arms counter, embowed and vested, *gules*; gloved, *or*; and holding each an ostrich-feather, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions double quevée; the dexter, *proper*; the other, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Craignez honte*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Bulstrode in Buckinghamshire, and Welbeck in Nottinghamshire.

MONTAGU, DUKE OF MANCHESTER.

THE most noble GEORGE MONTAGU, Duke and Earl of MANCHESTER, Viscount Mandeville, Baron Montagu of Kimbolton, born April 6, 1737, succeeded his father

father Robert, May 10, 1762; he married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir James Dashwood, Bart. October 23, 1762, by whom he has issue, 1. George, Viscount Mandeville, born November 11, 1763; 2. George James, who died in May, 1770.

The first of this noble family, (who took their surname from a sharp-pointed mountain, in Latin, de Monte acuto, in the county of Somerset) was DROGO de Montagu, whose Arms were, *azure*, a Grifphon segreiant, *or*.

To him succeeded WILLIAM de Montagu, and to him RICHARD, who was succeeded by DROGO, and Drogo by WILLIAM; and he by another WILLIAM, who all bore the Arms as above; but SIMON, the son of the last William, and Berta his wife, changed them to argent, three fusils in fess, gules; and having married Aufricia, daughter to Fergusus, King of the Isle of Man, descended from Orry, King of Denmark, had two sons,

WILLIAM and Simon, whereof the eldest married Elizabeth, daughter of Peter de Montfort, of Beaufesert, in the county of Warwick, and had four sons, John who died before his father, William, heir to his father, Simon, Bishop, first of Worcester, and afterwards of Ely, who began building the beautiful chapel on the North side of that cathedral, and bestowed great sums thereon, but his death prevented his finishing it; Sir Edward, 4th son, was Governor of the castle of Werk, under his brother, the Earl of Salisbury, which castle endured a memorable siege the 15th of Edw. III. which gave rise to the story of the King's falling in love with the Countess of Salisbury, and to the establishment of the order of the Garter. This Sir Edward, who was a Knight Banneret, had summons to Parliament among the Barons, and having married Alice, daughter and coheir to Thomas Brotherton, Earl of Norfolk, 5th Son of K. Ed. I. had issue an only daughter Joan, married to William de Ufford, Earl of Suffolk.

WILLIAM, his eldest surviving brother succeeded his father, and was created Earl of Salisbury, 11 Ed. III. He was also King of the Isle of Man, and died January 30, 1344. He married Catherine, daughter of William, and sister and heir to Otho, Lord Grandison, by Sibylla, daughter and heir of John de Tregoz, a great Baron, by whom he had issue two sons, William and John, and four daughters; Sibylla, married to Edmund, son to Edmund, Earl of Arundel; Philippa, to Roger Mortimer, Earl of March; Elizabeth, to Giles, Lord Badlesmere; and Ag-

nes to John de Grey, son and heir of Roger Lord Grey, of Dreffencloyt.

WILLIAM the eldest, who succeeded his Father as Earl of Salisbury, contracted marriage with Joan, called the Fair Maid of Kent, daughter to Edmund Plantagenet, Earl of Kent; 3d son of King Edw. I. but Sir Thomas Holland alledging, in his petition to Pope Clement VI. a prior contract from her with him, and that the Earl unjustly withheld her from him; the Pope gave judgment against the Earl, who thereupon married Elizabeth, daughter and afterwards co-heir to John Lord Mohun, and by her had a son William, who was unfortunately slain at Windsor, 6 Rich. II. by his own hand in a tilting; and the Earl his father dying 3d of June, 20 Rich. II. we return to

Sir JOHN his brother, who married Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir Thomas Monthermer, Lord Monthermer, by Joan, of Acres, daughter of K. Edw. I. in whose right he had summons to Parliament from 31st Edw. to 13 Rich. II. when he died. He had issue four sons, John his heir, Thomas, Dean of Salisbury, Richard, and Simon, Ancestor to the late Duke of MONTAGU; and three daughters, Sibyl, Catherine, and Margaret.

Sir JOHN the eldest son, succeeded his son in the Earldom of Salisbury; and in the 1st Hen. IV. was beheaded at Cirencester on January 5. He married Maud, daughter to Sir Adam Francis, widow 1st of John Aubrey, and 2dly of Sir Allan Boxhull, Knight of the Garter, by whom he had Thomas his heir; Richard, who died without issue; also three daughters; Anne, married 1st to Sir Richard Hankford, Kt. by whom she had a daughter, married to Thomas Butler, Earl of Ormond; 2dly, to Sir John Fitz-Lewis, Kt. 3dly, to John Holland, Earl of Huntingdon, and Duke of Exeter; Mary, 2d daughter, married William Lord Ferrers, of Groby; and Elizabeth, 3d daughter to Robert Lord Willoughby, of Eresby.

THOMAS, who succeeded his father as Earl of Salisbury, married Alianore, 4th daughter to Thomas, and sister to Edmund, Earl of Kent, and was killed at the siege of Orleans the 6th of Hen. VI. leaving an only daughter Alice, who was Countess of Salisbury. She married Sir Richard Nevil, who in her right became Earl of Salisbury, and by her had two sons, John and Richard, and John became Marquis of Montagu, and married Isabella, daughter to Sir Edmund Inglethorp, but was slain at Barnet, and died without issue. To him succeeded Richard his brother, who

also was Earl of Salisbury and Warwick, and was called the Great Earl of Warwick; he married Anne, daughter to Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, but was likewise slain at Barnet, and died without issue also.

Having done with this line, we now return to

SIMON Montagu before-mentioned, who married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of William Boughton, of Boughton, in the county of Northampton, and had Thomas his heir, who married Christian, daughter to Thomas Bassett, and had

JOHN his heir, who married Alice, daughter to William Holcot, by whom he had

WILLIAM Montagu, who married Margaret, daughter to Christopher Bouling, and had

RICHARD Montagu, who married Agnes, daughter to William Snelling, and had

THOMAS, who married Agnes, daughter to William Dudley, Esq; by whom he had John, who died without issue, and

EDWARD, who in 1539, was made Lord Chief Justice of England, and died in 1556. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter of William Lane, Esq; and had three sons, Ralph, Thomas, and Robert, who all died young; and three daughters, Dowse, married to Sir Edward Watfon, Ancestor of the Marquis of Rockingham; Anne, to John Rouse, Esq; and Amey, to George Lynce, Esq. His 2d wife was daughter of George Kirkham, Esq; by whom he had no issue; but by his third, who was Eleanor, daughter of John Roper, Esq; Ancestor of the Lord Teynham, he had five sons and six daughters; Elizabeth, married 1st to Richard Cave, Esq; son of Sir Thomas Cave; and 2dly, to William Markham, Esq; Eleanor, to George Tyrrell, Esq; Isabel, to Brian Lascelles; Mary, to William Watts, Esq; Margaret, to Robert Wood, Esq; and Agnes, to John Lane, Esq. Of the sons, which were Sir Edward, Roger, Simon, Thomas, and William,

Sir EDWARD the eldest succeeded his father; he died January 26, 1602. By Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Sir James Harrington, he had eight sons and four daughters; Lucy married to Sir William Wray; Susan, to Sir Richard Sondes; Elizabeth died young; and Theodosia was married to Sir Henry Capel, from whom the Earl of Essex is descended. Of the sons, Henry the eldest and Thomas the youngest, died in their infancy; and of the surviving, which were Sir EDWARD, Sir Walter, Henry, Charles, James, and Sir Sidney; from the latter is descended

descended the present Earl of SANDWICH; James, who was in 1616, Bishop of Winchester; Sir Charles married, 1st, Lettice, daughter of Henry Clifford, Esq; but by her had no issue; and 2dly, Mary, daughter of Sir William Whitmore, by whom he had issue three daughters, his coheirs; 1st, Elizabeth, wife of Christopher Lord Hatton; 2d, Anne, wife of Dudley⁴ Lord North; 3d, Mary, wife of Sir Edward Byshe, of Stanstead, in Essex, Kt. From Sir Henry, descended the present Duke of MANCHESTER, and the late Earl of HALIFAX. Sir Walter married Anne, daughter to Henry Morgan, Esq; and died without issue.

Sir EDWARD, who was heir to his father, on the 29th of June, 1621, was created Lord Montagu of Boughton, and died the 15th of June, 1644, in the 82d year of his age. He married, 1st, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Sir John Jefferys, by whom he had an only daughter of her name, who was married to Robert Bertie, Earl of Lindsey, ancestor of the Duke of Ancaster; by his 2d wife Frances, 2d daughter of Thomas Cotton, Esq; he had three sons, 1st, Edward his heir; 2d, William, who was Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer, (and died 1707, in the 89th year of his age) having married Mary, daughter of Sir John Aubréy, by whom he had issue William, who married Anne, daughter and sole heir of Richard Evelyn, Esq; also a daughter —, 1st married to — Drake, Esq; and 2dly, to Samuel Trotman, Esq; and 3d, Christopher, who died unmarried; and a daughter Frances who was married to John, the 8th Earl of Rutland. The said Edward Lord Montagu married, 3dly, Anne, daughter to John Crouch, Esq; and widow of Sir Ralph Hare, by whom he had no issue.

(2d L.) EDWARD, who was the 2d Lord Montagu, married Anne, daughter and sole heir to Sir Ralph Winwood, of Ditton-Park, in Bucks, by whom he had Edward his eldest son, who was slain in the attack of the Dutch East India ships, in the Port of Bergen, in Norway, August 3, 1665, in the 25th year of his age, unmarried; and Ralph his successor; also Elizabeth, married to Sir Daniel Harvey.

(3d L) RALPH, who was the 3d Lord, was created Visc. Monthermer, and Earl of Montagu; and on the 12th of April, 1705, he was created Marquis of Monthermer, and Duke of Montagu; and having married, 1st, Elizabeth, 3^d daughter to Thomas Wriothesley, 4th Earl of Southampton, and widow of Joceline Percy, the 11th

Earl of Northumberland, he had three sons and one daughter; but by his second wife, who was Elizabeth, eldest daughter and coheir to Henry Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle, and widow of Christopher Monk, Duke of Almarle, he had no child. This Lady died at Newcastle-House in Clerkenwell, the 28th of August, 1734. Of the issue by his first wife, the Lady Anne, was first married to Alexander Popham, Esq; by whom he had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Edward Visc. Hinchinbroke, by whom she had the present Earl of Sandwich; and she married secondly, Francis Seymour, Esq; brother to the Duke of Somerset; and the second husband of the said Lady Anne, was Lieutenant-General Daniel Hervey, who died in September 1732, and she died in January 1742. Of the sons, which were Ralph, Winwood, and JOHN; the eldest died at 12 years of age, and the 2d about 20; but the youngest, who on the 9th of March 1709, succeeded his father, was the 2d and last Duke of Montagu; he married the Lady Mary Churchill, 4th and youngest daughter and coheir to John, Duke of Marlborough, and by her, who died May 14, 1751, had three sons, John, George, and Edward Churchill, who all died very young; and three daughters; viz. the Lady Isabella, who married William, Duke of Manchester, by whom she had no issue, but is since married to Edward Lord Beaulieu; the Lady Eleanor died an infant; and the Lady Mary married George, Earl of Cardigan, now Duke of Montagu: But his Grace dying July 5, 1749, without issue male, the honours became extinct. We now return to

(1st E.) Sir HENRY, 3d brother to Edward, first Lord Montagu, of Boughton; on the 19th of December, 1620, was created Baron of Kimbolton, and Viscount Mandeville, and afterwards Earl of Manchester. He married Catherine, 2d daughter of Sir William Spencer, 3d son of Sir George Spencer, of Althorp, ancestor of the Duke of Marlborough, and had four sons and two daughters. Elizabeth was first married to Sir Lewis Manfel; Kt. ancestor to the late Lord Manfel; and 2dly, to Sir Edward Sebright; and Lucy was married to Henry Hare, Baron Colrairie, in Ireland. His second wife was Anne, daughter and coheir of William Wincot, Esq; and widow of Sir Leonard Holiday, by whom he had no issue; but by his 3d wife Margaret, daughter of John Crouch, Esq; and widow of John Hare, Esq; he had a son George, from whom descended the late Earl of HALIFAX, and a son Sidney,

Sidney, who died unmarried, as likewise a daughter Susan, married to Lord Chandos. Of the sons by the 1st wife, which were Edward, Walter, James, and Henry, the last died without issue; James married Mary, daughter of Sir Robert Baynard, by whom she had issue, seven sons, and a daughter Mary, married to Thomas Ewer, and dying in February 1665, was succeeded by James his son and heir; Walter embraced the Romish religion, and was Abbot of Pontoise, in France.

(2d E.) EDWARD, the eldest, was called up by writ to the House of Peers, in his father's lifetime, 1626, by the title of Lord Kimbolton. He died the 5th of May, 1671, having married first Susan, daughter to John Hill, Esq; by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Anne, daughter to Robert Rich, the 2d Earl of Warwick, and by her, who died February 14, 1641, he had Robert his heir, and two daughters, Frances married to Henry, son to Dr. Robert Saunderson, Bishop of Lincoln; and Anne, to Robert Rich, Earl of Warwick and Holland, and 2dly to Richard, the 8th Earl of Clanrickarde; he married to his "2d" wife, 34 Effex, daughter to Sir Thomas Cheek, and widow of Sir Robert Bevill; and by her who died September 28, 1658, he had six sons, Edward, Henry, Charles, Thomas, Sidney, and George, and two daughters, Effex and Lucy; the eldest married Henry Ingram, Viscount Irwin; his 4th wife was Eleanor, daughter to Sir Richard Worsley, and widow first of Sir Henry Lee; and 2dly of Robert, the 2d Earl of Warwick; and his 5th, Margaret, daughter to Francis, Earl of Bedford, widow of James Hay, Earl of Carlisle; but by neither of the last had any issue.

(3d E.) ROBERT, in 1671, succeeded his father, he married Anne, daughter to Sir Christopher Yelverton, ancestor of the Earl of Suffex; and by her, who afterwards married Charles, Earl of Halifax, had five sons and four daughters; the Lady Anne married to James Howard, the 3d Earl of Suffolk; Catherine to Samuel Edwin, Esq; but died a widow, December 29, 1731; Elizabeth, to the Lord Ch. Baron Montagu, to whom she was 2d wife, and died in January 1735; and Eleanor. And of the sons, which were Edward, Henry,

(4th E. 1st D.) CHARLES, Robert, and Heneage, the two eldest died young; Robert, died in 1693, unmarried; Heneage, died at Venice in 1698, unmarried; and Charles, on the 14th of March, 1682, succeeded his father, and was the 4th Earl. On the 30th of April, 1719, he was created

Duke of Manchester, and having married Dodington, youngest daughter to Robert Greville, ^{4th} Lord Brook, by her, who died February 6, 1720, had two sons, William and Robert, and four daughters, the Ladies Anne, Dodington, Elizabeth, and Charlotte; whereof the latter, on the 11th of June, 1724, was married to Pattee Byng, afterwards Viscount Torrington, and died September 14, 1759, and the eldest died unmarried. Of the sons,

(2d D.) WILLIAM, who was born in April 1700, on the 20th of January 1722, succeeded his father as Duke of Manchester. On the 16th of April 1723, his Grace married the Lady Isabella, eldest of the two daughters of John ^{2d} Duke of Montagu; and dying without issue at Bath, the 21st of October, 1739, he was succeeded by his only brother,

(3d D.) ROBERT, Duke of Manchester; he was married on April 3, 1735, to Harriot, daughter of Edmund Dunch, Esq; who dying in February, 1755, left issue, 1. George, the present Duke; 2. Lord Charles Greville, born May 29, 1741, and died November 29, 1774; 3. Lady Caroline, born February 19, 1736, and married in July, 1775, the Hon. Capt. Herbert, of the Royal Navy; 4. Lady Louisa, born in July, 1740, and died unmarried. This Duke dying May 10, 1762, was succeeded by his son,

(4th D.) GEORGE, the present Duke.

Great Coat

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*, three lozenges, conjoined in fess, *gules*, within a border, *sable*, for Montagu; second and third, *or*, an eagle displayed, *vert*, beaked and membered, *gules*, for Monthermer. [Plate 4.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head, couped, *or*; wings indorsed, *sable*; gorged with a collar, *argent*, charged with three lozenges, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an antelope, *or*; armed, crested, and hooped, *argent*. On the sinister, a gryphon of the first, gorged with a collar, *argent*; charged with three fusils, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Disponendo me non mutando me.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Kimbolton-castle, in the County of Huntingdon.

* Creations] Baron Montagu of Kimbolton and Viscount Mandeville. 1620. 18th Wm. 3^d. 1. — Earl of Manchester. 1625. 1st Chas. 1.

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Sir THOMAS, (eldest son of Sir Baldwin) married Alice, daughter and heir of Sir Thomas Berkley, by Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Lord Chandos, eldest sister and coheir of John Lord Chandos, with whom he had the Manor of Coberley, in Gloucestershire. They had issue two sons, Sir Giles his heir, and Edward, who left a daughter, married to John, 2d son of Sir John Throgmorton, and

Sir GILES, who died the 6th Edward IV. leaving issue by Catherine, daughter of James Clifford, Esq; relict of Anselme Guise; a daughter Cecilie, married first to Thomas Gates, Esq; and 2dly to John Welesbourn, Esq; and an only son

THOMAS, who married Florence, daughter of William Darrel, Esq; and had three sons and five daughters; Elizabeth married first to William Cassey, Esq; and 2dly to Walter Rowdon, Esq; Alice married to — Chicheley, Esq; Eleanor, to Sir Thomas Pauncefort; Joan and Anne died unmarried. Of the sons, which were Giles, Sir Richard, and Henry; the 2d by Jane, daughter to Sir William Spencer, ancestor of the Duke of Marlborough, left two sons, Anthony his heir, and Edmund.

Sir GILES, eldest son of Thomas, succeeded to the estate at Coberley, and died in 1511. He left three sons, John his heir, Thomas 2d son, who left a son Henry, William, 3d son, and four daughters; Ursula married to John Sydenham, Esq; Florence married Sir William Morgan; Catherine to Richard Poole, Esq; and Anne, 2d wife to Sir Rice Mansel, by whom he had no surviving male issue.

(1st L.) Sir JOHN, eldest son of Sir Giles, in the 1st of Q. Mary, was created Baron Chandos, of Sudley, and died the 4th of March, 1557. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Edmund Lord Grey, of Wilton, and had four sons, Edmund, his successor; Charles; Anthony, whose daughter Catherine married Sir John Astley; and Richard; and three daughters, Catherine married to Edward Sutton Lord Dudley; Elizabeth to John Tracy, Esq; Mary to George Throgmorton, Esq; 7th son of Sir George Throgmorton.

(2d L.) EDMUND, who succeeded, married Dorothy, 5th daughter and coheir to Edmund Lord Bray; by her, who married, 2dly, Sir Francis Knolles, had Giles his successor, and William, and two daughters, Eleanor married to George Gifford, Esq; and Catherine to William Lord Sands,

(3d L.)

(3d L.) GILES, who succeeded, married the Lady Frances, daughter to Edward, the 1st Earl of Lincoln, and had two daughters; Elizabeth married to Sir John Kennedy, and Catherine to Francis, Earl of Bedford, by whom she had William, Duke of Bedford; but the said Giles having no issue male, and dying February 21, 36 Elizabeth,

(4th L.) WILLIAM his brother became heir. He married Mary, daughter to Sir Owen Hopton, and by her had Grey, his heir, Giles, who died without issue, and three daughters; whereof, Frances was married first to Sir Thomas Smith, and afterwards to Thomas, 1st Earl of Exeter; the 2d daughter married Sir Thomas Turvile, and Beatrice the youngest, married Sir Henry Poole; and dying November 18, 1602, was succeeded by *called H. of Cotswold*

(5th L.) GREY his eldest son, who married the Lady Anne, daughter and coheir of Ferdinando, Earl of Derby, and by her, who afterwards married Mervin, Lord Audley and Earl of Castlehaven, had two sons, George his successor, and William; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to James Touchet, Earl of Castlehaven, son of Mervin, by his first wife.

(6th L.) GEORGE, who succeeded, married first the Lady Susan, daughter to Henry, Earl of Manchester, by whom he had two daughters, Margaret married to William Brownlow, Esq; and Elizabeth, 1st, to Edward Lord Herbert, of Cherbury, 2dly to William, the 2d Earl of Inchiquin, and 3dly, to Charles Lord Howard, of Escrick, and died in February, 1717: by his 2d wife Jane, daughter to John Earl Rivers, he had two daughters, Lucy married to Adam Loftus, Viscount Lisburne, in Ireland, whose only daughter and heir Lucy, married Thomas Lord Wharton, and was mother of Philip, Duke of Wharton; and Catherine. He died in February 1654, but having no issue male, he gave the Manor of Sudley to his said wife Jane, who married George Pitt, of Stratfieldsea, in Hampshire, Esq;

(7th L.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his brother George, had three daughters, Mary, Frances, and Rebecca; but having no son, we return to

CHARLES, 2d son of John, the first Lord Chandos. He married Jane, daughter of Sir Edward Carne, by whom he had;

(1st Bart.) Sir GILES his heir, who was created a Baronet the 3d Car. I. and died in 1637. He married Mary, daughter of Sir James Scudamore, and had issue Sir John, Charles,

Charles, and Giles; also two daughters, Jane married to James Phipps, Esq; and Frances.

(2d Bart.) Sir JOHN, who succeeded his father, marrying Mary, only daughter and heir to John Pearl, of Accombury, in the County of Hereford, Esq; had

(8th L.) JAMES his heir, who also succeeded to the title of Lord Chandos, on the death of William the 7th Lord, and died on the 16th of October, 1714. He married Elizabeth, eldest of the two daughters, and coheirs to Sir Henry Bernard, Kt. by whom he had, 1. James, the father of the late Duke; 2. Henry, Archdeacon of Rochester, who married Annabella, grand daughter of Sir Robert Atkins, by whom he had, 1. Henry, 2. James, 3. Eliza Louisa, married to Sir Robert Walters, 4. Annabella, married to Colonel Inwood, 5. Mary, married to Simon Adeane, Esq; 6. Henrietta, 7. Catherine; 3. Mary, married to Theophilus Leigh, Esq; of Alderton in Gloucestershire; 4. Elizabeth married to Alexander Jacob, Esq; and after his death to the Rev. Dr. Dawson; 5. Emma, married to Edmund Chamberlain, of Stow, in Gloucestershire, Esq; 6. Anne, married to Charles Walcot, of Walcot, in Salop, Esq; 7. Catherine, married to Brereton Bouchier, of Barnesley-court, in Gloucestershire, Esq; also fifteen other children, who died young.

(9th L. 1st D.) JAMES, the eldest son, October 19, 1714, was created Viscount Wilton, and Earl of Carnarvon; and on the 30th of April, 1719, he was created Duke of Chandos. On February 27, 1697, he married to his 1st wife, Mary, only surviving daughter of Sir Thomas Lake, of Cannons in Middlesex, Kt. and by her who died in December 1712, he had, 1. John, Marquis of Carnarvon, who married September 21, 1724, Lady Catherine, daughter of Lionel, Earl of Dysart, and by her had two daughters. 1. Catherine, married first to Captain Lyon, and secondly, to Edwin Stanhope, Esq; 2. Jane, married to James Brydges, Esq; and died February 24, 1776. 2. Henry, the late Duke. Also four other sons and two daughters, who died young. He married to his second wife Cassandra Willoughby, sister of the Lord Middleton, by whom he had no issue; she died in July 1735, after whose death he married in April, 1736, to his third wife Lydia-Catherine, widow of Sir Thomas Daval, by whom he left no issue.

(2d D.) HARRY, his only surviving son, succeeded his father James, August 9, 1744; and December 21, 1728, married Mary, eldest daughter of Charles Lord Bruce, by whom

whom he had issue one son and a daughter. 1. James, the present Duke, born December 27, 1731; 2. Lady Caroline, born March 29, 1730, and married March 17, 1755, to John Leigh, Esq; of Addlethorpe, in Gloucestershire. The Duke's dying in 1731, his Grace married to his second wife, in 1745, Mrs. Anne Wells, by which Lady, who died August 12, 1759, he had issue Lady Augusta, born October 6, 1748. His Grace married July 18, 1767, his third wife, Miss Major, daughter of Sir John Major, Bart. His Grace dying in December 1771, was succeeded by his son,

(3d D.) JAMES, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Chandos, of Sudley Castle, in the County of Gloucester, April 8, 1553, the 1st of Q. Mary: Baronet, May 17, 1627, 3. Car. 1. Viscount Wilton, in the County of Hereford, and Earl of the County of Carnarvon, October 19, 1714. 1 George I. and Marquis of Carnarvon, and Duke of Chandos, in the County of Hereford, April 30, 1719, 5 George I.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a cross, *sable*, a leopard's head, *or*. [Plate 4.]

CREST.] On a wreath the bust of an old man, side-faced, *proper*, wreathed about the temples, *argent* and *azure*, vested paly of the *first*, and *gules* and semi of roundles counter-changed, the cape *ermine*; and on his head a cap, *or*, lined with white fur.

SUPPORTERS.] Two otters, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Maintien la droit*.

CHIEF SEATS.] Avington in Hampshire, Wilton-castle, in Herefordshire, and Aconbury in the same County; at Biddesten, near Ludgershall, in Wiltshire.

SACKVILLE, DUKE OF DORSET.

THE most noble JOHN FREDERICK SACKVILLE, Duke of Dorset, Earl of Dorset and Middlesex, Baron Buckhurst, and Baron Cranfield, succeeded his uncle Charles, the late Duke, January 6, 1769.

Of this noble family, which is of French extraction, and were Lords of the Town of Sackville, in Normandy, from whence they took their surname, was

HERBRAN de Sackville, who accompanied William the Conqueror in his invasion of England, and had issue three sons, Jordan, Sir William, and Sir Robert, and a daughter

Lady Caroline duchesse de Devon
 James = Henry born 1765
 * Lady Augusta married H. S. Hervey 20 Jan. 1771

ter Avice, married to Walter Lord Alfage and Hughville, in Normandy. Of the sons, Jordan died in Normandy; but Sir William, the second son, residing in England, had by Albreda, his wife, three daughters his coheirs; whereof, Hodierna, married Matthew de Gernon, from whom the Duke of Devonshire is descended; Agnes, to Richard de Anestye, and Beatrix, to William de Clanville, Lord of Brhmholme.

Sir ROBERT, the 3d son, left issue by Lettice, daughter to Sir Henry Woodville, Kt. four sons, Sir Jordan, Stephen, Nigell, and Helias.

Sir JORDAN, succeeded his father; he married Ela, daughter to Ralph de Dene, Lord of the Manor of Buckhurst, in Suffex, with whom he had the said Manor, and by her had six sons, which were Sir Jordan, Richard, Sir Jeffery, Ralph, Guy, and Warren.

Sir JORDAN, the eldest, was a Baron in the Reign of K. Richard I. and married Clementia, daughter to John Vere, Earl of Oxford; and dying in the 9th of K. John without issue, was succeeded by

RICHARD his next brother, who was also a Baron, but he dying without issue likewise, the estate devolved on

Sir JEFFERY, who married Constance, daughter to Sir Edmund Brook, Kt. by whom he had two sons, Jordan and Guy, and a daughter Joan, married to Sir William St. Leger, Ancestor to the Lord Doneraile.

JORDAN, the eldest, married Maud Nomanville, by whom he had William and Bartholomew.

WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, marrying Clara, daughter to Matthew de Hastings, by her had a son

Sir JORDAN, who died in 1272. He married Margery, daughter and coheir to Sir Robert d'Aguillon, and by her had

ANDREW his heir, who married Ermyntude, daughter to Sir Roger Malyns; he had issue another

Sir ANDREW, who died in the 9th of Edward II. He married Joan Mortimer, and left

Sir ANDREW his heir, who married first Joan, sister and heir to John de la Beeche, and had three sons, Sir Andrew, John, and Sir Thomas; whereof the eldest died before his father, without issue; and John marrying Agnes, daughter to Sir Thomas Hoo, Kt. and dying without issue also, Thomas the youngest became heir. Sir Andrew married 2dly, Joan Burgeis, by whom he had a daughter Alice, who was married to John de la Zouch, and a son.

Sir

Sir THOMAS, who succeeded, and died in December 1432. He married Margaret, daughter to Sir Edward Dalingruge, and had five sons and four daughters, Joan, Catharine, Alice, and Elizabeth, which last married William St. John; and Alice to Reginald Malyns. Of the sons, which were Andrew, Richard, William, Edward, and John.

ANDREW dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Agnes his wife,

ANDREW, who succeeded his grandfather; but he dying without issue,

EDWARD his uncle, became heir. He married Margaret daughter to Sir Richard Wakehurst, and dying on the 29th of Henry VI. left

HUMPHREY Sackville his heir, who married Catharine, daughter to Sir Thomas Brown, ancestor to the Viscount Montagu, and dying the 24th of January, 1488, left six sons and two daughters, Elizabeth and Catherine. Of the sons, Edward the 4th had by Joan, daughter to Sir Roger Kinafton, William his heir, who died the 19th of May, 1556, leaving a son John.

RICHARD the eldest son, married Isabel, daughter of John Diggs, Esq. and had four sons and six daughters, and died on the 18th of July 1523. Of the daughters, Joan married John Parker, Esq; Mildred, married Sir William Fitz-William; Mary, to Robert Roberts, Esq; Catherine, to Sir John Baker; Margaret, to Sir Thomas Palmer; and Isabella the youngest, was the last Prioress of St. Mary's Clerkenwell. And of the sons, which were John, Richard, John, and Edward, the 2d John was a priest, Richard married a daughter of Thomas Tatcher, Esq. by whom he left Anne his only child and heir, who married Henry Shelley, Esq; and the eldest,

JOHN, succeeded his father. He married Anne, daughter to Sir William Bullen (sister to Thomas Earl of Wiltshire and Ormond, father of Q. Anne Bullen,) and by her had several sons and daughters, whereof Anne was married to Sir Nicholas Pelham, ancestor to the Duke of Newcastle; Isabel, to John Ashburnham, ancestor to the Earl of Ashburnham; and Mary to John Lunsford, Esq. The sons that lived to maturity, were, 1. Richard; 2. Christopher who married Constance, daughter of Thomas Colepeper, Esq; and had John Sackville, Esq; whose wife was Joan, daughter and heir to John Downton, Esq.

Sir RICHARD, the eldest Son, married Winnifred, daughter to Sir John Bridges, and by her, who married, 2dly,
William

William Marquis of Winchester, had Thomas his heir, and a daughter Agnes, married to Gregory Fines, Lord Dacres.

(1st B. and E.) THOMAS, in 1466, succeeded his father, on the 13th of March 1603, he was created Earl of Dorset, and died suddenly as he sat at the council-table at White-Hall, April 19, 1608. He married Cicely, daughter to Sir John Baker, and by her had four sons and three daughters; Anne, married Sir Henry Glenham; Jane, to Anthony Brown, Viscount Montagu; and Mary, to Henry, the 7th Lord Abergavenny. And the sons, were Robert, Henry, William, and Thomas.

(2d E.) ROBERT, the eldest, succeeded his father, and died on the 23d of February 1609. By his 2d wife, Anne, daughter to Sir John Spencer, and widow first of William Lord Monteaule, and 2dly, of Henry Lord Compton, he had no issue; but by his first, who was Margaret, only daughter to Thomas Howard Duke of Norfolk, he had three daughters; of whom Winnifred died in her infancy; Cicely, married Sir Henry Compton; and Anne, first to Edward Earl of Hertford, and afterwards to Sir Edward Lewis, Kt. Of the sons, which were Thomas, Richard, and Edward; the eldest dying in his infancy.

(3d E.) RICHARD on the 23d of February 1609, succeeded his father, and marrying the Lady Anne Clifford, sole daughter and heir to George the 3d Earl of Cumberland, (by the Lady Margaret, his wife, youngest child to Francis Russell, the 2d Earl of Bedford) by her, who married, 2dly, Philip the 4th Earl of Pembroke, had three sons who died infants, and two daughters, Margaret married to John Tufton, Earl of Thanet; and Isabella, to James the 3d Earl of Northampton; but dying on the 28th of March, 1624, and leaving no issue male,

(4th E.) Sir EDWARD, his younger brother, succeeded. He married Mary, daughter and sole heir to Sir George Curzon (by Mary, his wife, sister and sole heir to Sir Richard Levison) and dying on the 13th of July 1656, left two sons, Richard his heir, and Edward, who married Bridget, Baroness Norris, daughter and sole heir to Edward Wray, Esq; (2d Son to Sir William Wray, of Glentworth) but in 1645, being taken prisoner by the Parliament forces, was killed, leaving no issue; and his Lady was afterwards the 2d wife of Montagu Earl of Lindsey, by whom she was mother of James the first Earl of Abingdon.

(5th E.) RICHARD Lord Buckhurst, marrying the Lady Frances Cranfield, eldest of the two daughters of Lionel

Earl

x Mary, 6th of Dorset was Governor of N. Ch. a child

Earl of Middlesex, by Anne his 2d wife, daughter to James Bret, Esq; (by Anne his wife, sister to Mary Countess of Buckingham) and at length sole heir to Lionel Earl of Middlesex, her brother, by her had seven sons and six daughters; and died on August 27, 1677. Of the daughters, Elizabeth, Anne, and Catherine, died young; Mary was first married to Robert Boyle, the 2d Earl of Orrery; and 2dly, to Richard Boyle, Visc. Shannon, both of Ireland; Anne, to Alexander Hume, the 4th Earl Hume, in Scotland; and Frances, to Sir George Lane, created Visc. Laneborough in Ireland, by whom she had a daughter Frances, married to Henry Fox, Esq; and had issue, George Fox Lane, Esq; and Sackville Fox, Esq; also two daughters; Jane and Anne. Of the sons, Edward the second, died unmarried; Richard the 4th, died in August 1712, without issue; and all the rest died young, except

(6th E.) CHARLES Lord Buckhurst, who succeeded his father in 1677, and being possessed of the estate of his uncle, Lionel Earl of Middlesex, who died in 1674, he was on the 4th of April, 1675, created Earl of that county, and Baron of Cranfield, in the county of Bedford. He married first, Elizabeth, daughter to Harvey Bagot, Esq; (a younger son to Sir Harvey Bagot, Bart.) widow of Charles Berkeley, Earl of Falmouth, by whom he had no issue. His 2d wife was the Lady Mary, daughter to James the 3d Earl of Northampton, and by her, who died Aug. 16, 1691, he had Lionel Cranfield Sackville, his heir; and a daughter, married to Henry Somerset, Duke of Beaufort.

(1st D.) LIONEL first Duke of Dorset, who was born on the 18th of January 1688; on the 29th of January 1706, succeeded his father in the Earldom of Dorset and Middlesex; and on the 13th of June, 1720, was advanced to the dignity of a Duke. In January 1709, his Grace married Elizabeth, daughter to Lieut. General Walter-Philip Collyear, brother to David Earl of Portmore in Scotland. His Grace had issue, 1. Lady Anne, who died on the 23d of March, 1721, in the 10th year of her age; 2. Charles the late Duke; 3. Lady Elizabeth, who on the 6th of December 1726, was married to Thomas Thynne, Visc. Weymouth, but died before cohabitation, June 29, 1729, while his Lordship was on his travels; 4. Lord John-Philip Sackville, born June 22, 1713. And married the Lady Frances, 4th daughter of John Earl Gower, by whom he left issue, John Frederick Sackville, the present Duke, and a daughter Mary, married to the Earl of Thanet. 5. Lord George,

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x. died 15 Jan. 1778

George, born January 26, 1716, who on the 3d of Sept. 1754, who married Miss Diana Sambrooke, 2d daughter and coheir of John Sambrooke, Esq; brother to Sir Jeremy Sambrooke of Gubbins, Bart. by whom he hath two sons and three daughters, Charles, George, Diana Elizabeth, and Charlotte. 6. Lady Carolina, married July 27, 1742, to Joseph Damer, Esq; since created Lord Milton. This Lady died in March, 1775. His Grace dying October 9, 1765, was succeeded by his son,

(2d D.) CHARLES, born Feb. 25, 1711. He married Grace, daughter of Visc. Shannon, and she died, May 10th, 1763, without issue. His Grace also dying, Jan. 6, 1769, was succeeded by his nephew,

(3d D.) JOHN FREDERICK, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Buckhurst, in the county of Suffex, June 8, 1567, 9 Eliz. Earl of the county of Dorset, March 13, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Baron Cranfield of Cranfield, in the county of Bedford, Earl of the county of Middlesex, April 4, 1675, 27 Car. II. and Duke of the county of Dorset, June 13, 1720, 6 Geo. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *or* and *gules*, a bend over all, *vaire*. [Plate 4.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, an estoile of eight points, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two leopards, *argent*, spotted *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Aut nunquam tentes, aut perſice.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Knowle in Kent; Buckhurst in Suffex; Croxhall in Derbyshire.

EGERTON, DUKE OF BRIDGEWATER.

THE most noble FRANCIS EGERTON, Duke of BRIDGEWATER, Marquis of Brackley, Earl of Bridgewater, Viscount Brackley, and Baron of Ellesmere, was born May 21, 1736, succeeded the late Duke John his brother in 1758; and is unmarried.

In the Reign of William the Conqueror,

ROBERT Fitz-Hugh was Baron of Malpas, but leaving no issue male, this Barony came at length by marriage of the heir female, into this family, of which was

JOHN le Belward de Malpas, who lived in the time of William Rufus. To him succeeded,

WILLIAM his son, who was living the 12th of Henry I. and was father of another

WILLIAM,

WILLIAM, who lived in the reign of K. Stephen and Henry II. and was Baron of Malpas in right of his mother Lætitia, daughter and heir to Robert Fitz-Hugh, as appears by a grant to Richard, youngest son of this William. The last mentioned William married Beatrix, daughter of Hugh Kiviliock the 5th Earl of Chester, and coheir to her brother Ranulph, Earl of Chester, and had three sons, David, Baron of Malpas, Robert, from whom the present Earl of CHOLMONDELEY is descended, and Richard.

DAVID, who was stiled Dan David de Malpas, and sometimes Le Clerc, from his being Secretary to the Earl of Chester, married Margaret, daughter and heir to Ralph ap Eynion, and his sons were, 1st Sir William, 2d Philip, 3d Peter surnamed Thornewton; Sir William, who was Baron of Malpas, left no legitimate issue; but

PHILIP his next brother, was possessed of the manor of Egerton near Malpas, and had (according to the custom of that age) the surname of Egerton, and dying before his brother William, left a son

DAVID de Malpas, alias d'Egerton, who continued the chief line, as next heir to his uncle; and marrying Cicely, daughter and heir of Randal de Thornewton, had

PHILIP his heir, who left six sons, David, Urian, Bryan, John, Richard, and Philip.

DAVID the eldest, marrying Isabel, daughter to Richard Foulshurst, had issue Philip, Urian, David, and Robert.

PHILIP, who succeeded his father, married Ellen, daughter to Sir John St. Peter, and had a son David, who leaving no issue male, his uncle

URIAN succeeded as Lord of Egerton. He married Amelia, daughter to John Warburton, Esq; and by her had a son

JOHN, who was father of

Sir JOHN Egerton, who married Margaret, daughter to Sir John Fitton, and left issue, Philip, William, Ralph, Hugh, and Peter; whereof

PHILIP succeeded him, and was father of 1st William, who had no issue; 2d, John, 3d, Sir Ralph. This

Sir RALPH, married Margaret, daughter and heir to Ralph Bassett of Blore; and from that marriage descended

Sir RICHARD Egerton of Ridsey in Cheshire, who, married Alice Sparks of Bicherton in Cheshire, and had issue a son Sir Thomas, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Peter War-

burton of Arley, in Cheshire, Bart. whose son Sir George Warburton was created a Baronet in 1660.

(1st B. and V.) Sir THOMAS Egerton, was by Q. Elizabeth, made Solicitor-General; and afterwards Attorney-General, and Master of the Rolls. In the 38th of Elizabeth, he was made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal; and by K. James I. in the 1st of his reign, was created Baron Ellesmere, and made Lord High Chancellor of England; and in the 14th, he was created Visc. Brackley, and died in 1617, aged 70. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Ravenscroft, of Bretton in the county of Flint, Esq; and had two sons, Sir Thomas and Sir John, and a daughter Mary, married to Francis Leigh, of Newham-Regis in the county of Warwick, Knight of the Bath, father of Francis, Earl of Chichester. He married 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir George Moor, of the county of Surry, Kt. widow of John Wooley, Kt. and 3dly, Alice, daughter of Sir John Spencer, of Althorp in the county of Northampton, Kt. and widow of Ferdinando, Earl of Derby; but by neither of these had any issue. Sir Thomas, the eldest of his two sons, died in Ireland in 1599, before his father, leaving issue by Elizabeth his wife, daughter to Thomas Venables, Baron of Kinderton, three daughters; Elizabeth married to Thomas Dutton, of Dutton in the county of Chester; Vere, to William Booth, son and heir of Sir George Booth, of Dunham-Massey in the said county, Bart. from whom was descended the late Earl of Warrington; and Mary, to Thomas Lord Leigh, of Stoneij in the county of Warwick, but having no issue male

(2d V. and 1st E.) Sir JOHN his brother, who was Knight of the Bath, succeeded his father. In 1617, he was created Earl of Bridgewater; and having married the Lady Frances Stanley, 2d daughter and coheir to Ferdinando Earl of Derby (by Alice his wife above-mentioned) had four sons, 1st, James, 2d, Charles, who both died in their infancy; 3d John, Visc. Brackley, his successor; 4th, Thomas, who died unmarried, and eleven daughters. Of whom Frances the eldest was married to Sir John Hobart, of Blickling, Norfolk, Bart. Arabella to Oliver Lord St. John, son and heir apparent to Oliver Earl of Bolingbroke; Elizabeth to David Cecil the 3d Earl of Exeter; Mary to Richard the 2d Lord Herbert of Cherbury; Penelope to Sir Robert Napier of Luton Hoo in Bedfordshire, Bart. Alice to Richard Vaughan, Earl of Carbery; Catherinet to William Courteen, Esq; and Magdalen to Sir Gervase Cutler, Kt.

(2d E.)

(2d. E.) JOHN, who on the 4th of December 1649, succeeded his Father, married the Lady Elizabeth, 2d daughter to William Cavendish, then Earl, afterwards Marquis and Duke of Newcastle, and by her, who died June 14, 1663, had six sons and three daughters; of which, John his heir, and William, were made Knights of the Bath at the coronation of K. Charles II. and Elizabeth was married to Robert Sidney, Visc. Lisle, afterwards Earl of Leicester, who had issue by her Philip, John, and Josceline, all Earls of Leicester, who left no issue, and Thomas, who married Mary, one of the daughters and coheirs of Sir Robert Reeves of Thwates in Suffolk, Kt. and died on the 27th of January, 1729, leaving two daughters his coheirs, Mary, the widow of Sir Brownlow Sherrard, Bart. and Elizabeth the wife of William *Perry* ~~Lorry~~, of Turville-Park in the county of Bucks, Esq; Frances the eldest, and Catharine the youngest daughters, died in their infancy, as did Henry the 6th son. Sir William the 2d son, married Honora, sister to Thomas Lord Leigh of Stonely, by whom he had issue, John, who died young, Jane, Mary, and Elizabeth, who died unmarried, and Honora, married to Mr. Bagot, and the said Sir William dying in 1691, his Lady afterwards married Hugh Lord Willoughby of Parham; Thomas the 3d son, married Esther, daughter to Sir John Busbey, of Addington in the county of Bucks, Kt. and had issue John Egerton, of Tatton-Park in the county of Chester, Esq; Thomas, who died unmarried; William, D. D. and Manwaring, who died an infant; and Elizabeth married to the Reverend Mr. Leigh, Rector of Whitchurch in Shropshire; Charles the 4th son, married Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Henry Murray, Esq; by Anne his wife, Viscountess Banning of Sudbury; which Elizabeth was the widow of Randolph Egerton, Esq; she died Jan. 30, 1712, as he did Dec. 11, 1717, without issue; Steward 5th son, died unmarried.

(3d E.) Sir JOHN the eldest son, born November 9, 1646, on the 16th of October 1686, succeeded his father. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to James Cranfield, Earl of Middlesex, by whom he had only one son, John, and one daughter, who died in their infancy; but by his 2d, who was Jane, eldest daughter to Charles the 1st Duke of Bolton, he had seven sons and two daughters; Mary married William Lord Byron, and Elizabeth to Thomas Lord Paget. Of the seven sons, Charles Visc. Brackley, and Thomas, were both unfortunately burnt in their beds by the great fire at Bridgewater-house,

in Barbican, in April 1687; Scroop, the 3d, on the 16th of March, 1701, succeeded his father in the Earldom; William 4th son, married Anna-Maria, daughter of Sir George Saunders, and died July 13, 1732, leaving issue three daughters, Jane, Henrietta, and Anne; Henry 5th son, taking the holy orders, was made one of the canons of Christ-church in Oxford, in 1716, being then Rector of Whitchurch in Shropshire, and one of his Majesty's chaplains; and on the 2d of February 1724, was consecrated bishop of Hereford. He married Dec. 18, 1720, the Lady Elizabeth-Ariane, daughter of William Earl of Portland, by whom he had issue five sons: 1st, John the present Bishop of Durham, who married in Nov. 1748, the Lady Anne-Sophia, daughter of the Duke of Kent, by his 2d wife, the Lady Sophia Bentinck, daughter to William Earl of Portland, by whom he had a son born Aug. 29, 1749, and a daughter married to Sir Abraham Hume, Bart. William 2d son of the bishop, married Aug. 15, 1751, Miss Mary Kirke; the rest were Henry, Charles, James, and Anne: and their father died in April 1746; John 6th son of the Earl, and next brother to the bishop, was Page to the Duke of Gloucester, he died unmarried; Charles 7th and youngest son, died Nov. 7, 1725, having married Catherine youngest daughter of Francis Greville, Esq; and sister to Fulk and William Lords Brook, by whom he had issue a son Scroop, and two daughters, Catherine, and Doddington..

4th E. (1st D.) SCROOP, the 3d son, who succeeded his father as above, was born Aug. 11, 1681, and June 13, 1720, was created Marquis of Brackley and Duke of Bridgewater. ^{in 1703} he married 1st the Lady Elizabeth Churchill, 3d daughter and coheir to John Duke of Marlborough, and by her (who died on 22d of March, 1714, in the 27th year of her age) had John Visc. Brackley, (born February 3d, 1704, and died on the 30th of January 1719) another son, who died soon after he was born, and the Lady Anne, who married 1st Wriothesly Duke of Bedford, and 2dly William Earl of Jersey. On the 4th of August 1722, his Grace marrying to his 2d wife, the Lady Rachel Russel, sister to the said Wriothesly Duke of Bedford; had by her the Lady Louisa, born April 30, 1723, married March 28, 1748, to the Lord Visc. Trentham, now Earl Gower; Lady Caroline, born May 21, 1724; Charles Marquis of Brackley, born June 27, 1725, who died May 2, 1731; John Marquis of Brackley, born April 29, 1727; Lord William born January 15, 1729, and died next month; Lord Thomas, born April 18, 1730, and

4th E.
x. she died 22. May 1777

died an infant; the Lady Diana, born March 3, 1732, married March 9, 1753, to Frederick Lord Baltimore, and died July 18, 1758; and Francis the present Duke: and his Grace dying on the 11th of January 1745, was succeeded by his son John, and her Grace married in Dec. 1745, Sir Richard Lyttleton, Kt. of the Bath, brother to George Lord Lyttleton, and died May 22, 1777.

(2d D.) JOHN, died March 8, 1748, without issue, and was succeeded by his only surviving brother,

(3d D.) FRANCIS, now Duke of Bridgewater.

CREATIONS.] Baron Ellesmere of Ellesmere in the county of Salop, July 17, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Visc. of Brackley in the county of Northampton, November 7, 1616, 14 Jac. I. Earl of Bridgewater in the county of Somerset, May 17, 15 Jac. I. Marquis of Brackley, and Duke of Bridgewater, June 13, 1720, 6 Geo. I.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a lion rampant, *gules*, between three pheons heads, *sable*. [Plate IV.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a lion rampant of the *first*, holding a pheon, *or*, headed and feathered, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an horse, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*. On the sinister, a griffon segreant, *or*, gorged, with a plain collar and chain, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Sic donec*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ashridge in the county of Bucks.

PELHAM CLINTON, DUKE OF NEWCASTLE.

THE most noble HENRY FYNES PELHAM CLINTON, Duke of NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LINE, in the County of Stafford, Earl of Lincoln, Baron Say and Clinton, was born April 20, 1720, succeeded his brother George as Earl of Lincoln, April 30, 1730, and succeeded to the title of Duke of Newcastle, upon the death of Thomas, the late Duke, November 17, 1768. He married October 3, 1744, Catherine, eldest daughter to Henry Pelham, brother to the late Duke of Newcastle, by which lady, who died July 27, 1760, he had issue, 1. George, born November 26, 1745, and died in August, 1752. 2. Henry, Earl of Lincoln, born November 5, 1750, and married

married in May, 1775, the Lady Frances Conway, daughter of the Earl of Hertford; 3. Lord Thomas, born July 1752. 4. Lord John, born September 13, 1755.

*Tho.
1.2^d* Sir THOMAS Pelham, on the 29th of December, 1706, was created Baron Pelham of Laughton, and died the 13th of February, 1712. He married first Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Jones, Attorney-General to K. Charles II. and by her, who died October 13, 1681, had two daughters; whereof Lucy died in 1689; and Elizabeth, was the first wife of Charles Viscount Townshend. He married 2dly the Lady Grace Holles, 4th and youngest daughter to Gilbert Earl of Clare, and sister to John Duke of Newcastle, and by her, who died in September 1700, he had two sons, Thomas and Henry, and five daughters. Of the daughters, Grace married George Naylor of Hurst-Monceaux, in Suffex, Esq; and died in April 1710; Frances, married Christopher Wandesford, Viscount Castle-comer in Ireland; Garthwright, married David Polhill of Otford in Kent, Esq; Lucy married Henry Clinton, Earl of Lincoln, and Margaret, married Sir John Shelley, of Michel-Grove in Suffex, Bart. and died November 23, 1758. Henry, the youngest son, died on the 6th of March 1754, having on the 29th of October 1726, married the Lady Catharine Manners, eldest daughter to John Duke of Rutland, by whom he had two sons and four daughters, viz. Catharine, born on the 24th of July 1727, and married to Henry, the present Duke of Newcastle; Frances born on the 18th of August 1728, married in October 1752 to Lewis Watson, Lord Sondes; Thomas, born on the 25th of October 1729, died on the 28th of November 1739; Henry, born in April 1736, died the day before his brother, Grace, born in Jan. 1734; Mary, born in Sept. 1739; and Lucy and Dorothy deceased.

(2d L 1st E. and D.) THOMAS, eldest son of Thomas Lord Pelham, born July 21, 1694, on February 13th, 1712, succeeding his father in his honours; also by the last will and testament of his uncle, John Holles Duke of Newcastle, who died July 15, 1711, became possessed of the bulk of his great estate, on condition that he and his heirs should bear the name and arms of Holles. On the 26th of October 1714, he was created Viscount Pelham of Houghton, and Earl of Clare, with remainder to Henry Pelham his brother, and his heirs male; and on the 2d of August 1715, Marquis of Clare and Duke of Newcastle, with remainder as before, and was also created Duke of Newcastle-under-

under-Line, with remainder to the Earl of Lincoln, the present Duke, Nov. 13, 1759, and Baron Pelham of Stanmer, with remainder to Thomas Pelham, Esq; now Lord Pelham, May 4, 1762. On the 2d of April 1717, his grace married the Lady Henrietta, eldest daughter of Francis Earl of Godolphin, by the Lady Henrietta his wife, eldest of the four daughters and coheirs of John Churchill, Duke of Marlborough. Her grace died 17th of July 1776; and the Duke having deceased Nov. 17th, 1768, without issue, the title of Duke of Newcastle under Line, devolved to Henry Earl of Lincoln: to whose family we now proceed. p. 4. 449

This family takes its name from a place called Clinton in Valley, (now Glimpton) three miles north of Woodstock, and is descended from William de Tankerville, Chamberlain of Normandy.

WILLIAM had three sons who accompanied William the Conqueror in his expedition. They were Osbert, Renobald, and William; of which the second had, by gift from the Conqueror, the Lordship of Clinton in Oxfordshire, and his descendants assumed that name. He had two sons, Jeffrey and William, of which the former was highly in favour with K. Henry I. who gave him great possessions. To him succeeded Jeffrey his only son. He married Agnes, daughter of Roger Earl of Warwick, by whom he had Henry his only son, who marrying Amicia de Bidun, died without issue; and WILLIAM, brother to Jeffrey his grandfather, became the next heir male. He had issue OSBERT, who by Margery, daughter of William de Halton, had issue OSBERT, who died the 7th Henry III. leaving issue THOMAS his heir in his minority. He married Mazara, daughter and heir of James de Bisege, and had issue five sons, Thomas, John, Osbert, William and James. THOMAS, the eldest, married Maud, daughter of Sir Ralph Bracebrigg, and had issue,

(1st Ld.) JOHN de Clinton, who married Ida, one of the daughters and coheirs of William de Odingfells, Baron of Maxtoke, and had two sons, John his heir, and William; which William was made Earl of Huntingdon in 1337, but dying in 1354, without issue, Sir John de Clinton, Kt. his brother's son, became his heir.

(2d Ld.) JOHN, elder brother of the said William, was summoned to parliament, among the Barons, the 6th Edward III. and by Margery, daughter of Sir William Corbet, had Sir John above-mentioned, who had summons to Parliament from the 31st of Edward III. to the

20th of Richard II. in which Year he died. He married Idonea, eldest sister, and at length coheir of William de Say, son and heir of Jeffrey Lord Say, by Maud, daughter of Guy Beauchamp Earl of Warwick, and had three sons, Sir William, Sir Thomas, and Edward.

Sir WILLIAM Clinton, Kt. dying in the life-time of his father, left issue by Elizabeth daughter of Sir William Deincourt, Kt. by Alice, sister of Ralph Neille, the 1st Earl of Westmorland,

(3d Ld.) WILLIAM, who was heir to his grandfather; and thereupon bore the titles of Lord Clinton and Say, which their posterity continue in their title to this day, although John his son and heir, by deed bearing date the 1st of Nov. 27 Henry VI. granted and confirmed to his kinsman Sir James Fienes, Kt. then Lord Say and Sele, and to his heirs and assigns for ever, the name and title of Lord Say; which James descended from the youngest sister and coheir of the aforesaid William de Say, was an ancestor of the present Viscount SAY and SELE. The said William Lord Clinton and Say, was summoned to Parliament from the 23d Richard II. to the 9th Henry VI. inclusive; and dying the 30th of July the year following, left issue by Anne, relict of Sir Fouke Fitzwarryn, Kt. and daughter of William Lord Botreaux,

(4th Ld.) JOHN his son, who married Elizabeth daughter to Richard Fiennes, Lord Dacres of the South, and died the 24th of Sept. 1464, and left a son,

(5th Ld.) JOHN, who married Anne, daughter of Sir John Morgan of Tredegar, and died the 28th of Feb. 1483, leaving

(6th Ld.) JOHN his son, who succeeded him, and served the King in his wars of France; but he dying the 4th of July 1515, and having married Mary natural daughter of Sir Edward Poynings, left

(7th Ld.) THOMAS his heir, who the next year had summons to Parliament, but he died the 7th of August 1517, in the 28th year of his age, leaving by Joan his wife

(1st E.) EDWARD his heir, born in 1512. On the 4th of May 1572, he was created Earl of Lincoln; but died on Jan. 16, 1585. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John Blunt, widow of Gilbert Lord Talboys, and concubine to K. Henry VIII, by whom he had three daughters; 1st, the Lady Bridget, married to Robert Dimmock. Esq; 2d, Lady Catherine to William Lord Borough, whose daughter married Sir Richard Bulkeley, and Penelope married

married to Sir Edwin Sandys; 3d, Lady Margaret married Charles Lord Willoughby of Parham; and by his 2d wife, Ursula, daughter to William Lord Stourton, he had three sons and two daughters, Lady Frances, married to Giles Bridges, Lord Chandos, and Lady Anne to William Wyfscough, Esq; but by his 3d, who was Elizabeth, daughter, to Gerald Earl of Kildare in Ireland, he had no issue. The sons by the 2d wife, were, 1. Henry; 2. Edward, who died unmarried; and 3. Thomas, who married Mary daughter of John Tirrel, Esq;

(2d E.) HENRY the eldest succeeding his father, married 1st the Lady Catherine, daughter to Francis the 2d Earl of Huntingdon, and had two sons, Thomas and Sir Edward, of whom hereafter; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Arthur Gorges of Filley, in Devon, Esq; and 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Richard Morison, widow of William, son and heir-apparent of Henry the first Lord Norreys of Rycote, by whom he had two sons, Sir Henry and Robert.

(3d E.) THOMAS, the eldest son, in the 1st of King James I. had summons to Parliament as Baron Clinton and Say, and succeeded his father in 1618. He married Elizabeth daughter and coheir to Sir Henry Knevit, and by her had eight sons and eight daughters; whereof Elizabeth was married to John Berrisford, Frances to John Gorges, and Susan to — Humphreys. Of the sons, Henry and Thomas died young.

(4th E.) THEOPHILUS, Edward, Charles, Knevit, Robert, and John; the third, on Jan. 15, 1618, succeeded his father; he married Bridget, daughter to William the 1st Viscount Say and Sele, and had a son Edward, and six daughters; Catharine, married to George the first Lord Delamere; Bridget and Lucy both died unmarried; Arabella married to Robert Rolle, Esq; Margaret married Hugh Boscawen, by whom he had one daughter Bridget, on whom (in right of her mother, who was at length coheir to her father Theophilus, and her sisters leaving no surviving issue) the Barony of Clinton devolved; and the said Bridget marrying Hugh Fortescue, Esq; of Filley in Devon, had issue Hugh Fortescue, Esq; who on the 16th of March 1721, was called up to the house of Lords as Lord Clinton; and on July 5, 1746, was created Earl CLINTON, and Baron Fortescue; and dying unmarried May 2, 1751, the Barony of Clinton returned to the Earl of Lincoln; and his brother, by another mother became Lord FORTESCUE; the other daughters were Mary and Judith.

EDWARD

the 1st Fitzgerald 6th of Lincoln is generally supposed to be the fair Geraldine of the E. of Surrey

Ed Clinton
Ann EDWARD, their brother, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by *Ann*, daughter to John Holles Earl of Clare, a son,

Jane (5th E.) Sir EDWARD, who in 1667, succeeded his grandfather; he married Jane, daughter to Peter de Guliere, Lord of Verune in France, and dying in Nov. 1692, without issue, the Barony of Clinton devolved as above.

Mary We now return to Sir EDWARD Clinton, Kt. younger brother to Thomas the 3d Earl, who married Mary, daughter of Thomas Dighton, Esq; and had issue Sir FRANCIS, who married Priscilla, daughter to John Hill, Esq; and had Sir Francis his heir, and Thomas, and a daughter Priscilla, married to Willoughby D'ewes, Esq;

Juan (6th E.) FRANCIS, upon the death of Earl Edward became Earl, and died the next Year. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Killigrew, Kt. by whom he had a son Francis, who died an infant; 2dly, Susan, daughter to Anthony Penniston, Esq; and by her, who died Sept. 3, 1720, had two sons, Henry his heir, and George; and a daughter Susan, married to Robert Booth, Esq; and died in July 1754; George, 2d son, was an Admiral of the navy. He married Anne daughter of Peter Carle, a Major-General; and had three sons and three daughters.

Lucy (7th E.) HENRY, married Lucy, sister to Thomas Holles Pelham, late Duke of Newcastle, and dying on the 7th of Sept. 1728, in the 44th Year of his age, by her, who died July 20, 1736, left two sons, George his successor, and Henry, and three daughters; the Ladies Anne, Lucy, and Caroline; whereof the latter died Dec. 19, 1728.

(8th E.) GEORGE, who succeeded his father, dying on the 30th of April 1730, in the 13th year of his age, was succeeded by

Cath (9th E. 2 D.) HENRY, who also succeeded to the title of Duke of Newcastle upon the death of Thomas the late Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Say, by Writ, Feb. 18, 1610; Baron Clinton, Feb. 6, 1298; Earl of Lincoln, May 4, 1572; and Duke of Newcastle, Nov. 13, 1756.

ARMS.] *Argent*, six cross crosslets fitchy, 3, 2, and 1, *sable*; on a chief, *azure*, two mullets pierced. *or*.

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *gules*, five ostrich-feathers, *argent*, banded, *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.]

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SUPPORTERS.] Two greyhounds, *argent*, their plain collars and lines *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Loyalté na honte.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Oatlands, in Surry.

PERCY, DUKE OF NORTHUMBERLAND. *see p. 369- for the Percy genealogy*

THE most noble ^{*Smithson =*} HUGH PERCY Duke and Earl of NORTHUMBERLAND, Earl Percy, Baron Warkworth, and Baronet, succeeded to the Earldom of Northumberland and Barony of Warkworth, upon the death of Algernon duke of Somerset, Feb. 7, 1750, and changed his name to Percy by an Act of Parliament passed the same year; and was advanced to the dignities of Earl Percy and Duke of Northumberland, Oct. 18, 1766. He married July 16, 1740, Lady Elizabeth Seymour, only daughter of Algernon Seymour, ~~late~~ Duke of Somerset, and Earl of Northumberland and Egremont, her grace died, Dec. 5, 1776, having had issue two sons and one daughter.

1. Hugh, Earl Percy, born Aug. 14, 1742; who married, July 2, 1764, Lady Anne, second daughter to the Earl of Bute.

2. Lord Algernon, born Jan. 21, 1750, and married in July 1775, Miss Burrell, daughter of Peter Burrell, Esq; of Beckenham in Kent, by whom he has a daughter, Charlotte, born in July 1776. And,

3. The Lady Elizabeth Anne Frances, born April 6, 1744, and died May 27, 1761.

This noble Duke is descended from a family, surnamed Smythson, or Smithton, from their possessions in Smithton, in Yorkshire. In the 15th of Edward I. John de Smythton held lands in Smythton; and in the 7th of Edward III. Robert de Smythton, and Thomas de Smythton, are mentioned in an inquisition concerning the liberties of Northallerton. In the reign of K. Richard II. William Smythton was possessed of several lands adjoining to Smythton; all which estates he settled upon his son and heir, William Smythson of Newsome; where the family resided till the reign of Q. Elizabeth, when ANTHONY Smithson, of Newsome aforesaid, Esq; married Eleanor, the

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the heir of Anthony Catherick of Stanwick, Esq; which has since been the chief seat of the family.

(1st Bart.) Sir HUGH their son, was by K. Charles II. created a Baronet. He married Dorothy, daughter of Jerome Royston of Plaistow in Suffex, Esq; and had four sons and two daughters, of which only three sons, Sir Jerome, Hugh, and Anthony, survived him. Hugh, 2d son, married Mrs. Alice Yeane, by whom he had a daughter Anne, married to Sir Henry Johnson, of Bradenham in Bucks, by whom he had an only daughter Anne, married to Thomas, late Earl of Strafford. Anthony, 3d son, married Susanna, daughter of Sir Edward Barkham of South-Acre in Norfolk, Bart. by whom he had one son, Hugh Smithson of Airmin in Yorkshire and Tottenham in Middlesex, Esq. He married 1st Hester, daughter of Michael Godfrey of Woodford in Essex, Esq; by whom he had seven children, who all died unmarried; his 2d wife was Constantia Hare, daughter of Hugh Lord Coleraine in Ireland, by whom he had no issue, and dying Sept. 4, 1740, aged 79, left his estate to the present Duke of Northumberland.

(2d Bart.) Sir JEROME, eldest son of Sir Hugh, married Mary, daughter and heir to — Wingate of the county of York, Esq; by whom he had a daughter Dorothy, married to Thomas Pulein of Carleton in the county of York, Esq; and

(3d Bart.) Sir HUGH, his only son and heir, who married Elizabeth, daughter to Marmaduke, the 2d Lord Langdale, by whom he had several Children, whereof two sons lived to maturity, and four daughters, who all embraced religious lives. Hugh, the eldest son, died unmarried. LANGDALE, 2d son, married Philadelphia, daughter of William Revel of Newby-Wisk, in the county of York, Esq; and dying in his father's life-time, left a daughter, Dorothy, who died unmarried, and one son

(4th Bart.) Sir HUGH, who succeeded his grandfather, and is the present Duke.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, a lion rampant, *azure*; the arms of the Dukes of Brabant; second and third, *azure*, five fusils in fess, *or*; the arms of Percy.

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, a lion passant, *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion, *azure*; on the sinister an unicorn, *argent*, collared goboné, *or*, and *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Esperance en Dieu.*

CHIEF

CHIEF SEATS.] At Sion-house, near Brentford; and Tottenham, both in the county of Middlesex; Warkworth, Alnwick, and Prudhoe castles, in the county of Northumberland; Stanwick and Ayrmin, in Yorkshire.

MONTAGU, DUKE OF MONTAGU.

THE most noble GEORGE MONTAGU, [Duke of MONTAGU, Marquis of Monthermer, Earl of Cardigan, Baron Brudenel of Stanton-Wivil, succeeded his father, July 5, 1732, as Earl of Cardigan, and was advanced to the dignities of Marquis of Monthermer and Duke of Montagu, Oct. 28, 1766. His grace was born in 1712, and married, July 7, 1730, the Lady Mary Montagu, youngest daughter, and one of the coheirs of John Duke of Montagu; and after the decease of his Grace, took the name and arms of Montagu. *see pa 84*

The Duchess died 2d May 1775, having had issue,

1. John, Marquis of Monthermer, born March 18, 1735. died unmarried.
2. Lady Elizabeth, married March 20, 1767, to the Duke of Buccleugh.
3. Lady Mary, died June 28, 1761.
4. Lady Henrietta, died April 10, 1766.

In the reign of King Edward I. WILLIAM Brudenel died seized of Doddington in the county of Oxford, and divers lands in Berks and Bucks, and left two sons,

RICHARD Brudenel of Aynhoe in the county of Northampton, and Henry, who succeeded him at Doddington. to Richard succeeded

WILLIAM his son, whose wife was Agnes, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Grove of Agmondesham in Bucks, by Alice his wife, daughter and heir to Walter Le Raan, by Margaret his wife, daughter and heir to Sir John Blacket of Castleton and Saltford in the county of Oxford Kt. and by her he had three sons, Edmund, William and Henry; and two daughters, Margaret and Alice. Of the sons, Edmund the eldest, left no issue; Henry the 3d, who was of Agmondesham, married Eleanor daughter of Hugh Preston, Kt. by whom he had three sons, Edmund, John, and Robert; whereof Edmund was ancestor to those of that name at Shardelois (now the seat of the Drakes) which terminated in a daughter and heir; Elizabeth married to Thomas Cheyne, Esq; and from Robert descended the
Brudenels

Brudenels of Stoke-Mandevile in Bucks. We now return to

WILLIAM the 2d son of William and Agnes Grove, who married Agnes daughter and coheir to Robert Bulstrode of Hugheley in Bucks, with whom he had that manor, and by her had

EDMUND his heir, who married 1st Agnes daughter and heir to Thomas Dipden, and had an only daughter Alice, who was married to Richard Waller; but by his 2d wife Philippa daughter to Philip Englefield, Esq; he had four sons, and two daughters; Joan married to Sir John Ewerby, and Elizabeth first to John Tittingham, Esq; and 2dly to John Cheyne, Esq. Of the sons, which were Drue, John, Edmund, and Sir Robert Brudenel of Dean in the county of Northampton; Drue the eldest succeeded his father at Chalfont, St. Peter's, and died the 14th of March, 1479. He married Eleanor daughter to John Broughton, of Toddington in the county of Bedford, and had five sons, and four daughters; Isabella married Richard Isham, Esq; Agnes to John Abrael of Inchinfield; Joan to John Norris; and Elizabeth to Henry Broughton of Warwickshire, Esq. Of the sons, which were Edmund, Robert, John, Thomas and George; the latter was a priest; Robert died without issue; and Edmund succeeded his father at Chalfont. He married Jane daughter to Richard Hawkins of London, and by her had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Robert Drury, ancestor of Sir Drue Drury of Riddleworth, Norfolk, who was created a Baronet the 7th of May 1627; but the said Edmund her father having no issue male, we return to

Sir **ROBERT**, his father's brother, in the 12th of Henry VIII, was Chief-Justice of the Common-Pleas; and died the 30th of Jan. 1531. By his 2d wife Philippa, daughter to — Power of Blecheden in the county of Oxford, he had no issue; but by his first, who was Margaret Entwifell, cousin and coheir to Sir Bertram Entwifell, Viscount of Brickbec, and constable of Constance in Normandy, and widow of William Wivell, of Stanton-Wivel in the county of Leicester, he had two sons, Sir Thomas his heir, and Anthony, who was of Claphorne and Finedon in the county of Northampton, and Packington Pigot in the county of Warwick. He married Jane daughter to — Erlington, of Hackney in Middlesex, and by her had five sons and three daughters, viz. Margaret wife of — Palmer, of Southwell in Nottinghamshire; Anne and Rebecca; Edmund
his

his heir, George, Robert, Thomas, and William, who died unmarried; Thomas, who was of Glaston, married the daughter and heir of Thomas Warner, and by her he had two sons, and two daughters, Anthony, Edmund, Anne, and Elizabeth. Robert the 3d son, was a merchant; George the 2d, was married to ——— Freeman, and by her had Paul Brudenel, who had issue Anthony, William, George, and Thomas. Edmund, eldest son of Anthony Brudenel of Glapthorne, &c. was seated at Stanton-Wivell in the county of Leicester; and he marrying two wives, 1st, Anne daughter of John Chancey of Edgecote in the county of Northampton, Esq; by her had no issue; but by Elizabeth his 2d, who was daughter to William Burnell, of Winckbourne in the county of Nottingham, Esq; he had two sons, and two daughters; whereof Agnes was married to John Flacket of Hanson-Grange in the county of Derby, Esq; and Frances to Roger Hurt; and of the sons, Robert died young, Thomas succeeded his father. He married 1st Dorothy daughter to Henry Smith, of Withcock in the county of Leicester, Esq; and had four sons, and three daughters; Anne, married to William Orme of Hanch-Hall, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman; Lucy to Charles Agarde, of Croxhall in the county of Derby; and Dorothy to John Browne, of Stretton Lifield in the county of Leicester. And of the sons, which were Thomas, Edmund, Robert, and Richard, the latter married Elizabeth eldest daughter to Walter Littleton, of Saredon in the county of Stafford, doctor of the civil law; Robert was a merchant in Spain; Edmund, who died Sept. 30, 1637, married to his 1st wife Catherine, 2d daughter to Sir Edward Littleton of the county of Stafford, Bart. and by her had two sons, Edward, and Thomas; and by his 2d, who was Mary daughter to Thomas Stavely of Leicester, Esq; he had Mary, Robert, and Catherine; which Catherine was married to George Alsop, of Church-Langton in the county of Leicester, and died March 4, 1684; but Mary her sister died unmarried; and Thomas the eldest son of Thomas and Dorothy Smith, marrying Elizabeth daughter to Nathaniel Humphrys of Barton in the county of Northampton, Esq; by her had four sons, and five daughters; Thomas, Charles, Edmund, Richard; Mary, Jane, and Elizabeth, died infants; a second Mary, the wife of Edward Price of Norfolk; and Dorothy the wife of Robert Baker of Litchfield. Thus having done with the descendants of Anthony

Anthony Brudenel, youngest son of Sir Robert and Margaret Entwifell, we come now to

Sir THOMAS the eldest. He married Elizabeth daughter to Sir William Fitz-William, and dying on the 15th of March. 1548, by her had five sons, and four daughters, Elizabeth, Lucy, Julian, and Mary; the latter was married to Nicholas Hare, Esq; Julian to John Harrington of Witham; and Elizabeth the eldest was first married to Richard Griffin, Esq; and 2dly to Francis Smith, Esq. Of the sons, who were,

Sir EDMUND, Thomas, John, Robert, and William, the youngest died without issue; the eldest, who was knighted, died Feb. 24, 1584. He married 1st Agnes daughter and heir to John Busley of Hougham in the county of Leicester, Esq; by Agnes his wife, daughter of Thomas Lord Burgh, by whom he had no issue; but by his 2d, who was Etheldred, daughter to — Fernley, and widow of Anthony Roane, Esq; he had a daughter of her name, who was married to Sir Basil Brook, of Madeley in the county of Salop, Kt. but the said Sir Edmund dying without issue male,

THOMAS his next brother became heir, and married Anne daughter of Robert Topcliff; but he dying without issue,

JOHN the 3d son succeeded. He married Mary daughter to Robert Everard, of Shenton in the county of Leicester, and by her had a son Robert, who died young; but leaving no issue,

ROBERT the 4th son of Sir Thomas and Elizabeth Fitz-William succeeded. He married Catharine daughter to Jeffrey Taylard, and by her had three sons, Thomas, William who died without issue, and John, who was Lord of Okeley and Potton in the county of Bedford, and of Gamlingay in the county of Cambridge; and a daughter Christian, married to Alexander Thorold.

(1st E.) THOMAS the eldest son, who was seated at Dean, was, in 1611, created a Baronet; and afterwards was created Lord Brudenel, and Earl of Cardigan, and died in April, 1644. He married Mary 4th daughter to Sir Thomas Tresham of Bushton, in the county of Northampton, (by Meriell, daughter to Sir Robert Throckmorton, of Coughton in Warwickshire, by Elizabeth, daughter of John Lord Hussey, relict of John Lord Hungerford) and had three sons and a daughter,
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of her name, who in 1630 married to John Constable the 2d Viscount Dunbar in Scotland; and of the sons, which were

(2d E.) ROBERT, Edmund, and Edward, the latter died young; the 2d on the 15th of Aug. 1652, unmarried; and the eldest succeeded his father. He married 1st Mary daughter to Henry Constable Viscount Dunbar, and by her had a daughter of her name, who was married to the Earl of Kinnoul in Scotland; and taking to his 2d wife Anne daughter to Thomas Viscount Savage, had Francis Lord Brudenel, his heir apparent, who died before him, and Joseph who died an infant; also three daughters; Lady Anna-Maria, 1st married to Francis Talbot the 11th Earl of Shrewsbury; and 2dly to George-Rodney Bridges, of Keynsham in the county of Somerset, Esq; and died the 20th of April 1702; Lady Catharine to Charles² Earl of Middleton in Scotland; and Lady Dorothy, 1st to Charles Fane the 3d Earl of Westmoreland; and after to Robert Viscount Dunbar in Scotland.

FRANCIS Lord Brudenel, who died before his father in 1698, married Lady Frances, daughter to James Savile Earl of Sussex, and had two sons, and three daughters; Mary married to Richard the 5th Viscount Molineux in Ireland; Anne, 1st to Henry Lord Bellasis of Worlaby; and 2dly to Charles Lenox the 1st Duke of Richmond; and Frances the youngest was 1st married to Charles Levington² Earl of Newburgh in Scotland; and 2dly to Richard Lord Bellew in Ireland. Of the sons, which were George and James, the latter, who was seated at Stockton-Hall in the county of Lincoln, died in August 1746. He married Susan daughter of Bartholomew Burton, of Luffenham in the county of Rutland, Esq; by whom he had issue, 1. George, Bridges Brudenel his heir; Augustus, 2d son, who died in the 10th year of his age, in March 1735, and two daughters, Carolina and Louisa, which last died in August 1746. And

(3d E.) GEORGE, eldest son of Francis Lord Brudenel, in 1703 succeeded his grandfather as Earl of Cardigan. He married the Lady Elizabeth Bruce, eldest daughter to Thomas the last Earl of Ailesbury, and dying on the 5th of July 1732, by her, who died in Dec. 1745, left issue four sons, and two daughters; the Lady Frances married July 27, 1749, to Oliver Tilson, Esq; and Lady Mary 1st to Richard Powis, Esq; and 2dly to Thomas Bouldby of the Bishopric of Durham, Esq; The sons were, 1. George;
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5 Earl 2. James, who married Anne sister to the Earl of Dartmouth, the 19th of Nov. 1760; 3. Robert, married Miss Bishop, daughter to Sir Cecil Bishop, Bart. in Feb. 1759; died the 20th of Oct. 1768; 4. Thomas Bruce the youngest, in Feb. 1747 succeeded his uncle the Earl of Ailesbury, as Baron BRUCE, of Tottenham in the county of Wilts, and is since created Earl of Ailesbury.

(4th E. 1st D.) GEORGE the eldest succeeded, and was created Duke of Montagu. — *for the Genealogy of the Montagu*

CREATIONS.] Baron Brudenell, April 26, 1627, Earl of Cardigan, April 20, 1661, Marquis and Duke 28, Oct. 1766.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first grand quarter counter quartered, the first and fourth *argent*, three lozenges conjoined in fess *gules*, within a border *sable*, for Montagu; second and third *or*, an eagle displayed *vert*, beaked and membered *gules*, for Monthermer; second and third grand quarter, *sable*, a lion rampant *argent*, and in a canton of the second the cross of England, for Churchill: the fourth as the first. [Plate V.]

CREST.] On a wreath a gryphon's head couped, *or*, with wings indorsed and beaked, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a gryphon, *or*, beaked, winged, and four legs *sable*. On the sinister a wyvern, *gules*, collared, *or*, wings expanded, *gules*, charged on the breast in a canton *azure*, with St. Andrew's cross, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Spectemur agendo*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Dean in Northamptonshire; at Blackheath in Kent; at Windsor-castle as constable.

M A R Q U I S S E S.

DE GREY, MARCHIONESS GREY.

THE Most Noble JEMIMA DE GREY, Marchioness GREY, and Baroness Lucas of Crudwell, only daughter of John, Earl of Breadalbane by the Lady Amabel Grey, eldest daughter and coheirs of Henry de Grey, late Duke of Kent, succeeded to the title of Marchioness Grey, &c. on the death of her grandfather Henry, late Duke of Kent, June 5, 1740. She married May 22, the same year, Philip, now Earl Hardwicke, by whom she has issue two daughters.

1. Lady Amabel, born Jan. 22, 1751, married the 16th of July, 1772, to Alexander Lord Polwarth, created Lord Hume of Berwick.

2. Lady Mary Jemima, born Feb. 9, 1756,

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This noble family is descended from ROLLO or Fulbert, who was Chamberlain to Robert Duke of Normandy, and of his gift had the castle and honour of Croy in Picardy, from whence his posterity assumed their surname, which was afterwards written De Grey, which Rollo had a daughter, Arlotta, mother of William the Conqueror; and a son, JOHN, stiled Lord de Croy; and he marrying Adela, daughter and one of the heirs of William Fitz-Ober, son of Osbert, by surname Crespen, the son of Hersact, whose father was a noble knight of Danish extraction, by her had Sir ARNOLD de Grey, Lord of Walter-Eton, Stoke and Rotherfield; who marrying Joanna de Pontdelarche, had ANSCHETIL de Grey, who (in the 20th of William the Conqueror, when the general survey was made) was possessed of divers lands in the counties of Oxford and Bucks. He left a son RICHARD, who was Father of ANSCHETIL, whose Wife was Eva, daughter and heir to Baldwin, Earl of Devon, and by her he had John his heir, and another son, who, in the reign of K. John, was Archbishop of Canterbury; but the Pope prevailed with the Monks to choose Stephen Langton, a Cardinal of Rome, so that he never obtained the Pall, though the King seized on the goods and lands of the Monks whom he banished, and forbad Langton entrance into the realm.

JOHN his elder brother had by Hawis his wife, 1st Sir Robert his heir; 2d Walter, Bishop 1st of Litchfield, 2dly of Worcester, and from thence translated the 17th of King John, to the See of York, to which See he gave the house called York-Place, now White-Hall; 3dly Henry, and two daughters; Eva, married to William Briton; and Agnes was mother of John D'Oyly, of Stoke D'Oyly, in the county of Northampton. Sir Robert married Beatrix, daughter and heir to William de St. Luke, and by her had Walter de Grey, Ancestor to the Barons Grey, of Rotherfield, which became extinct the 11th of Rich II.

HENRY de Grey, 3d son, married Isolda, daughter and coheir to Hugh, and niece and coheir to Robert Bardolf, and had three sons, viz. 1st, Richard Grey, of Codnovre, in the county of Derby, whose descendants were Barons Grey of Codnovre, or Codnor, which terminated in Henry Lord Grey, who died 11 Henry VII. without lawful issue; but from Henry his natural son, the Greys of Langley in the county of Leicester are descended; 2d John; 3d William de Grey, of Landford, in the county of Nottingham,

and of Sandacre, in the county of Derby, whose estate descended to the family of Leek, Earl of Scarfdale, by an heir female.

JOHN, the second son of the said Henry, dying in the 5th of Edw. I. left issue, by Emma, daughter and heir to Geoffrey de Glanville, a son, REGINALD, and a daughter married to Robert de Tatshall; and the said Reginald married Maud, daughter and heir to Henry de Longchamp, a great Baron, and died the 1st of Edw. II. leaving JOHN, his son and heir, who dying the 17th of Edward II. left issue by Maud, daughter to Ralph Lord Bassett, of Draiton, 1st Henry his heir, from whom descended William Lord Grey, and Arthur Lord Grey, whose son, Thomas, the last Lord Grey of Wilton, being one of the conspirators with the Lord Cobham, Sir Walter Raleigh, and others, in their design of seizing King James I. and the Prince, and to take them first to the Tower, and thence to Dover Castle, thereby to obtain a toleration of religion, was attainted of treason, and remained a prisoner in the Tower till his death, July 6, 1614; and his estate at Whaddon, in the county of Bucks, was given to Sir Geo. Villiers, who was created Baron of Whaddon, and Duke of Buckingham.

ROGER de Grey, 2d son to John de Grey, and Maud his wife, married Elizabeth, daughter to John Lord Hastings, of Bergavenny, by Isabel, one of the daughters and coheirs to William Valence, Earl of Pembroke, and his posterity became heirs to John de Hastings, Earl of Pembroke, and John his son and heir was contracted to Anne, daughter to Sir William Montagu, (afterwards Earl of Salisbury) and dying in the Life-Time of his father, and his father dying in the 27th of Edward III,

REGINALD, 2d son of Roger, succeeded, and had summons to all the parliaments, and died the 12th Richard II. He married Eleanor, daughter to John Lord Strange, of Blackmere, and had

REGINALD, his successor, who was famous for his disputes with Owen Glendour, concerning the situation of their lands, by whom being at length overpowered, he became prisoner to the said Owen, and paid a great sum for his redemption. He died the 19th Henry VI. having had two wives, 1st. Margaret, daughter to William Lord Roos, by whom he had a son, John; and by his 2d wife, Joan, daughter and heir to William Lord Astley, of Astley,
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in the county of Warwick, and widow of Thomas Raleigh, Esq; he had three sons, of which Edward, the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Henry, son of William Lord Ferrers, of Groby, whereby he became heir to the said Lord Ferrers, and bore the title of Lord Ferrers, of Groby, afterwards Grey of Groby, and his descendants became Earls of STAMFORD; John the 2d, was of Barwell, in the county of Leicester; and Robert the 3d, was of Enfield in Staffordshire. He had also by his 2d wife a daughter, Eleanor, married to William Lucy, of Cherlecote, in the county of Warwick, Esq.

JOHN, eldest son by the 1st wife, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Constance, only daughter to John Holland, Duke of Exeter, and Earl of Huntingdon, widow of Thomas Lord Mombay, son of Thomas Duke of Norfolk, 1. Edmund; 2. Thomas, who in the 28th Henry VI. was created Lord Grey of Rugemont, in the county of Bedford, and died without issue; 3. Alice married to William Knyvet, Esq.

(1st E.) EDMUND, the elder brother, in 1441, the 19th Henry VI. succeeded his grandfather, and in the 5th Edward IV. was created Earl of Kent; and died in 1489. He married Catharine, daughter to Henry Percy, 2d Earl of Northumberland, and had four sons and two daughters; of which sons,

(2d E.) GEORGE, (the eldest surviving) succeeded him, and married first Anne, daughter to Richard Woodville, Earl Rivers, by whom he had a son Richard; and by his 2d, who was Catharine, daughter to William Herbert, Earl of Pembroke, he had Sir Henry Grey of Wrex in the county of Bedford; George, and Anthony Grey of Branspeth of the Bishoprick of Durham, whose grandson at length succeeded to the Earldom, being the 10th Earl; as also two daughters, of whom Anne married John Lord Hussy, whose daughter Agnes married Sir Humphry Brown, Kt. one of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, whose daughter and coheir Christian married Sir John Tufton, Bart. and was mother of Nicholas, the 1st Earl of Thanet, but dying in 1506,

(3d E.) RICHARD, by his 1st wife, succeeded him. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Hussy, and dying on the 3d of May, 1524, without issue, the Earldom descended to

(4th E.) Sir HENRY Grey of Wress, his brother by the half-blood, who having married Anne, daughter to John Blennerhasset, and having but a small income, declined to take upon him the title of Earl, as did also

(5th E.) HENRY his son; but this last Henry having married Margaret, sister to Oliver the first Lord St. John of Bletshoe, had three sons, Reginald, Henry, and Charles; of which,

(6th E.) REGINALD the eldest, in the 13th Eliz. 1571, reassumed the title of Earl of Kent. He married Susan, daughter to Richard Bertie, Esq. ancestor of the Duke of Ancaster, by Catharine his wife, Duchess of Suffolk, and dying on the 17th of March 1573, without issue by her, who afterwards married Sir John Wingfield, Kt.

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(7th E.) HENRY, his next brother, became heir, and married Mary, one of the daughters of Sir George Cotton of Cumbermere, in the county of Chester, Kt. and widow of Edward Stanley the 3d Earl of Derby, but dying on the 1st of Jan. 1615, without issue also,

(8th E.) CHARLES his next brother succeeded him, and married Susan, daughter to Sir Richard Cotton, and by her had a son Henry, and a daughter Susan, who married to Sir Michael Longueville, and dying in 1623, was succeeded by

(9th E.) HENRY his son, who married Elizabeth, 2d daughter and coheir of Gilbert Talbot the 7th Earl of Shrewsbury, and dying in 1639, having no issue, the title of Earl (by reason of the entail on the heirs-male) descended to

(10th E.) ANTHONY Grey, then Rector of Burbache, in the county of Leicester, son of George, son of Anthony 3d son to George, the 2d Earl; but upon claim made of the dignity of Lord Grey of Ruthyn, by Charles Longueville, son and heir to Sir Michael Longueville, by Susan his wife, sister and heir to Henry the last Earl of Kent, who died without issue, as hath been observed, Anno 1640, it was adjudged to Mr. Longueville, from whom is descended the Earl of Suffex. This Anthony married Magdalen, daughter to William Purefoy of Caldecote, in the county of Warwick, Esq. and had five sons, and as many daughters, viz. Henry, John, Theophilus, Job, Nathaniel; Grace married to James Ward, Esq. Magdalen to John Brown, of Stretton, in the county of Derby, Esq. Christian

tian to the Reverend Mr. Burdet; Patience to Mr. Wood of Lubenham, in the county of Leiceſter; and Prifcilla; Theophilus died unmarried March 29, 1679, aged 74; and

(11th E.) HENRY the eldeſt, in 1643, ſucceeded his father. He married 1ſt Mary, daughter of Sir William Courteen, Kt. by whom he had iſſue Henry, Lord Grey, who died in 1644. His 2d wife was Amabella, widow to Anthony Fane, Eſq. 3d ſon of Francis the 1ſt Earl of Weſtmoreland, daughter and heir to Sir Anthony Benn, Kt. Recorder of London, (by Jane his wife, daughter to John Evelyn of Godſton, in Surry, Eſq.) and by her (who ſurvived her monument 45 years, and died on the 17th of Auguſt 1698, aged 92) had iſſue Henry, who died in 1644, Anthony his heir, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Banifter Lord Maynard. *28 May*

(12th E.) ANTHONY, who in April, 1651, ſucceeded his father, married Mary, daughter and ſole heir of John Lord Lucas, Baron of Shenfield, in the county of Eſſex; who on the 7th of May 1663, was created Baroneſs Lucas of Crudwell, in Wilts, and to her heirs male and female, by the Earl of Kent; and by her, who died Nov. 1, 1702, the ſaid Earl, had Henry his heir, and a daughter Amabella, who died Nov. 26, 1702. *26. 1651*

(13th E. 1ſt D.) HENRY, who on the 19th of Auguſt, 1702, ſucceeded his father, married to his firſt wife, Jemima, eldeſt of the two daughters of Thomas Lord Crewe of Stene, and by her (who died July 27, 1728) had four ſons and ſeven daughters; Ladies Amabella, married to John Campbell, Earl of Breadalbane in Scotland, and died on the 2d of March 1727, leaving an only daughter Lady Jemima, the preſent Marchionefs. Jemima married John Earl of Aſhburnham; Henrietta died Jan. 4, 1717; Anne married to Lord Charles Cavendiſh, brother to William Duke of Devonſhire; Mary married Dr. Gregory, Canon of Chriſt Church, Oxford, in March 1744, but the Ladies Jane and Carolina died in their infancy. Of the ſons, which were Anthony, Henry, George, and Lucas; the eldeſt, who was born Feb. 21, 1696, and called Earl of Harold, was on the 6th of November 1719, called up by writ to the Houſe of Peers, by the title of Lord Lucas of Crudwell; and in April 1718, married the Lady Mary Tuſton, 4th daughter to Thomas Earl of Thanet, but died on the 21ſt of July, 1723, with-
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Amabella Ben, Cſt. of Kent. born 21. Aug. 1606. mar-
ried Douce of Kent in 1624. 2dly Arth. & Jane.
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out issue; and his Lady afterwards married John Earl Gower. Henry his next brother died December 4, 1717, in the 21st year of his age; and the Lords George and Lucas died young. On the 24th of March 1729, his Grace marrying to his 2d wife, the Lady Sophia Bentinck, daughter to William Earl of Portland, by her had one daughter the Lady Anne-Sophia, born January 17, 1730, and a son born in August 1732, named George; but he died in February following, and his sister married in November 1748, Dr. John Egerton, now Bishop of Durham. His Grace was on the 19th of May 1740, created Marquis Grey to him and the heirs male of his body, and in default of such issue, the dignity of Marchioness Grey to the Lady Jemima Campbell, his grand-daughter, and her heirs male. His Grace dying on the 5th of January 1740, without issue male, was succeeded in the titles of Marchioness Grey and Baroness Lucas of Crudwell by his said grand-daughter

(1st M.) JEMIMA, the present Marchioness.

CREATIONS.] Created Baroness Lucas of Crudwell, in the county of Wilts, 7 May 1663, 13 Car. II. Marchioness Grey by Letters Patent, May 19, 1740.

ARMS.] Barry of six pieces, *argent* and *azure*, the arms of Grey. [Plate XXXV.]

SUPPORTERS.] Two Wyverns, *or*, their wings disclosed.

MOTTO.] *Stat religione parentum.*

CHEAF SEAT.] At Wrest-House, in Bedfordshire.

WENTWORTH, MARQUIS OF ROCKINGHAM.

THE most noble CHARLES WATSON WENTWORTH, Marquis of Rockingham, Earl of Malton, Viscount Higham of Higham-Ferrers, Baron Rockingham of Rockingham, Baron of Malton, Waith, and Harrowden, was born May 13, 1730, and, on the death of his father, Dec. 14, 1750, succeeded to his honours. He married on Feb. 26, 1752, Mary, daughter and heir of Thomas Bright, of Badsworth in the county of York, Esq.

The family of Watson has for many ages flourished in the counties of Cambridge, Northampton, and Rutland, and the present Marquis derives his descent from

Edward

Edward Watſon, of Lydington in the county of Rutland, who was living in 1460, and left a ſon

EDWARD, who married Emma, one of the daughters and coheirs of Anthony Smith, brother to William Lord Biſhop of Lincoln. He had fifteen children and was ſucceeded by his eldeſt ſon,

EDWARD, who in the 38th of Henry VIII. purchaſed the Manor of Bramcote in Warwickſhire, but his chief ſeat was at Rockingham-Caſtle. He married Dowſe, daughter of Sir Edward Montagu, and dying May 12, 1584, left iſſue

EDWARD his heir, then 35 years of age, who was knighted May 11, 1603. He married Anne, daughter of Kenelm Digby, Eſq. ſhe died Feb. 17, 1611, and he on the 1ſt of March, 1616, aged 67, and was ſucceeded by Lewis his ſon; Sir Edward Watſon, his 2d ſon, died in October 1658; Anne his eldeſt daughter married to Sir Charles Norwich of Brampton, in the county of Northampton, Kt. Emma to John Grant, Eſq. and Mary to Sir Anthony Mayney of Linton in Kent.

(1ſt L.) Sir LEWIS Watſon, Kt. his eldeſt ſon was created a Baronet, and afterwards Baron of Rockingham. He married firſt Catharine, daughter to Peregrine Bertie, Lord Willoughby of Ereſby, by whom he had one child, who died young. He married 2dly on the third of October, 1620, Eleanor daughter of Sir George Manners, Kt. and ſiſter of John the 8th Earl of Rutland; ſhe died the 5th of January 1652, and he the 7th of October 1679, they had iſſue Edward his heir, Lewis who died young, and ſix daughters. Grace married to Sir Edward Barkham, Bart. Anne died unmarried; Frances married to Edward Dingly, Eſq. Elizabeth died unmarried; Eleanor married to Sir Charles Dimmock, Kt. from whom is deſcended the late Lewis Dimmock, Eſq. Champion of England; Catharine died unmarried.

(2d L.) EDWARD ſucceeded his father: He was born the 30th of June, 1630, and married on the 24th of Nov. 1654, the Lady Anne, eldeſt daughter of Thomas Wentworth, 1ſt Earl of Strafford; he died in 1691, and his Lady on the 2d of June 1695, they had iſſue, four ſons and four daughters, Eleanor, Arabella, Anne, and Margaret; whereof the two latter died unmarried; the eldeſt was married to Thomas the 2d Lord Leigh; and the 2d to Sir James Oxenden, Bart. Of the ſons, which were Lewis his heir, Edward, Thomas, and George; the 2d died young, the 3d changed his name to Wentworth, for an eſtate left him

him by his uncle the Earl of Strafford, and his grandson is now Marquis of Rockingham.

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Cath (1st E.) LEWIS, who in 1689, succeeded his father, and was the third Baron, was created Baron of Trowleigh, Visc. Sondes, and Earl of Rockingham, and died on the 19th of March, 1724, in the 69th year of his age. He married Catharine, 2d daughter to Sir George Sondes, of Lees Court in the county of Kent, created Baron Trowleigh, Visc. Sondes, and Earl of Feversham, with remainder to Lewis de Duras, Baron of Holdenby, who married Mary his eldest daughter, and the said Mary dying without issue, Catharine her sister became sole heir to the Earl her father; and dying March 21, 1695, in the 38th year of her age, left issue by the said Lewis Lord Rockingham, two sons and three daughters; Mary was married to Wray Saunderfon, grandson and heir apparent to George Visc. Castleton; Arabella to Sir Robert Furnese, Bart; and Margaret to Sir John Monson, afterwards Lord Monson. And of the sons, who were Edward and George; the latter died in Sept. 1735.

Cath EDWARD the eldest, was stiled Visc. Sondes, and dying March 21, 1722, left issue by the Lady Catharine, eldest daughter to Thomas Earl of Thanet, (whom he married April 21, 1708,) three sons, Lewis, Thomas, and Edward, and a daughter of her name, who on the 21st of August 1729, married Edward Southwell, of King's-Wellton, in the county of Gloucester, Esq. and died Feb. 13, 1734. Of the sons Edward died unmarried, and

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Cath (2d E.) LEWIS the eldest, succeeded his grandfather as Earl of Rockingham, and married on the 10th of April 1736, Anne, daughter of Sir Henry Furnese, Bart. but dying in Dec. 1745, without issue, was succeeded by his brother, *she was a sister of Sir Thomas*

(3d E.) THOMAS, who dying a bachelor in February following, we now return to

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Alice THOMAS 2d son of Lewis, the 3d Lord Rockingham, who changed his name to Wentworth as above. He married Alice, daughter and sole heir of Sir Thomas Proby of Elton, in the county of Huntington, Bart. by Frances, daughter of Sir Robert Cotton de Bruce, and dying the 6th of October 1723, aged 59, by her who died Oct. 2, 1749, left one only son,

(1st M.) THOMAS, who on the 28th of May 1728, was created Baron of Malton; and in Nov. 1734, was created

created Earl of Malton, Visc. Higham, and Baron of Waith and Harrowden. By the death of Thomas the late Earl of Rockingham, Feb. 26, 1746, the honour of Baron Rockingham, of Rockingham-Castle, devolved on him; and on the 19th of April 1746, was advanced to the dignity of Marquis of Rockingham. His Lordship married the Lady Mary Finch, 5th daughter to Daniel Earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham; by his 2d wife; by whom he had a son, who died in August 1739, and Charles the present Marquis; Lady Anne, eldest daughter, married, June 22, 1744, to William Earl Fitz-William; Lady Mary, born July 18, 1727, married to John Milbank, Esq. Lady Charlotte, born Feb. 11, 1732; and, Lady Henrietta Alicia, born Dec. 7, 1737, married to William Sturgeon, Esq. and his Lordship deceasing Dec. 4, 1750, was succeeded by his only son,

(2d M.) CHARLES, now Marquis of Rockingham.

CREATIONS.] Baronet the 23d of June 1621, 19 Jam. I. Baron Rockingham, of Rockingham, in the county of Northampton, the 28th of Jan. 1644, 20 Car. I. Baron of Malton in the county of York, and of Harrowden in the county of Northampton; Visc. Higham, of Higham Ferrers, in the said county, and Earl of Malton the 19th of Nov. 1734, the 8th Geo. II. and Marquis of Rockingham, the 19th of April 1746, the 19th of Geo. II. Earl and Baron of Malton in Ireland, Dec. 1750.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*, on a chevron ingrailed, *azure*, between three martlets, *sable*, as many crescents, *or*, for Watson; second and third, *sable*, a chevron between three leopard's faces, *or*, for Wentworth. [Plate VI.]

CREST.] A gryphon's head erased, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*, for Watson. A gryphon passant, wings expanded, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*, for Wentworth.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*, for Watson. On the sinister side, a lion of the *second*, for Wentworth.

MOTTOES.] *Mea gloria fides.* And, *En Dieu est tout.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Wentworth-house, in the county of York; at Malton in the same county; and Great Harrowden, in Northamptonshire.

EARLS.

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TALBOT, EARL OF SHREWSBURY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE TALBOT Earl of SHREWSBURY in England, Wexford and Waterford in Ireland, and Baron Talbot, born Dec. 11, 1719, succeeded George the late Earl his father, in 1733; and married, Nov. 21, 1753, Elizabeth, daughter of John Lord Dormer.

GEOFFREY TALBOT, in time of Henry I. held twenty Knights fees of that King, and gave half his Lordship of Wrotham in Kent, to the Monks of Rochester.

In the 3d of K. Stephen, he held out the castle of Hereford, against the King, for Maud the Empress, and was succeeded by

HUGH his brother, who took a monk's habit in the monastery of Beaubek in Normandy, and was succeeded by

RICHARD his son, who was father of

GILBERT, who, in the 5th Ric. I. was governor of the castle of Ludlow, and was succeeded by

RICHARD his son. He married Aliva, sister to Philip Basset of Wicomb in Bucks, chief justice of England, and by her was father of another

GILBERT, who marrying Gundalina, daughter to Rheese ap Griffith, Prince of South-Wales, changed his arms, which were Bendy of ten Pieces, Argent and Gules, and bore the Lion rampant, *or*, in a Field, *gules*, with a border ingrailed of the first, it being the arms of the said prince. To him in 1274, succeeded

RICHARD his son, who married Sarah, daughter to William Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, and had a son,

GILBERT, who was Chamberlain to K. Edward II. and justice of South-Wales, and from the 4th to the 18th of Edward III. had summons to Parliament; but died the 20th.

RICHARD his son married Elizabeth, daughter to John Comyn, of Badenhaugh in Scotland, and had a son

GILBERT, who on the 30th of Edward III. succeeded him, had summons to Parliament from the 4th of Edward III. to the 10th of Richard II. when he died. He married first Patronilla, daughter to James Butler, Earl of Carrick and Ormond; and 2dly, Joan, daughter to Ralph Earl of Stafford; by his first wife he had a son

RICHARD, who succeeded him, and married Ankeret, daughter to John L'Estrange of Blackmere, and had four sons; Gilbert, who married first Joan, daughter of Thomas
of

of Woodstock, youngest son of K. Edward III. and coheir to her brother Humphrey Duke of Buckingham, by whom he had no issue; and 2dly, Beatrix, an illegitimate daughter of John K. of Portugal, widow of Thomas Earl of Arundel, by whom he left one daughter, Ankaret, his heir, who died in the 4th year of her age; and his wife, the said Beatrix, married to her third husband, John Holland Earl of Huntingdon. His other brothers were John his successor; Richard who in 1417 was consecrated Archbishop of Dublin, and died in 1449; and Sir Thomas, who was of Wrockerdine in the county of Salop, but died without issue,

(1st E.) JOHN, the 2d son, who continued the line on the death of Ankaret, sole daughter and heir of Gilbert his elder brother, had livery of all the lands, whereof she died seised as heir to her father; and which descended to her as heir to Sir Thomas her uncle, and having married Maud, eldest of the two daughters and coheir of Sir Thomas Nevil, Kt. by Joan, daughter, and heir of William Lord Furnival, Verdon, and Blackmere. On the 20th of May 1442, he was created Earl of Shrewsbury, and on the 17th of July, in 1446, he was created Earl of Waterford and Wexford in Ireland. He was likewise Steward of England, and Marshal of France, he was made Admiral of the English fleet, and next year lieutenant of Aquitaine, but marching to relieve Chatillon, he was killed by a canon ball, and his army routed July 20, 1453, after he had preserved that kingdom to Henry VI, for 24 years, and his son Sir John (the 2d of that Christian name) who was then Viscount Lisle, was slain with him.

By his 2d wife, Margaret, eldest daughter and coheir to Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heir of Thomas Lord Berkley, and by her mother's side Lady Lisle and Tyes, he had issue Sir John Talbot, created Baron Lisle, of Kingston Lisle, Berks, July 26, 22 Henry VI. also Visc. Lisle, 30 October, 30 Henry VI, who was slain with him as before-mentioned, and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to John Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, and Eleanor to Thomas Butler of Sudley-castle, in the county of Gloucester, Esq; and the said John their brother, who on the 26th of July 1444, married Joan, one of the daughters and coheirs to Sir John Chedder, Kt. by her had Thomas Talbot, Visc. Lisle, slain at Wotton Under-Edge without issue; and Elizabeth, married to Edward Grey (2d son of Edward Grey, Lord Ferrers of Groby) who was created Visc. Lisle, 1 Richard III.

and

and Margaret, wife of Sir George Vere, Kt. were his co-heirs.

By his first wife Maud, before-mentioned, he had three sons, Thomas, who lost his life at the battle of Bourdeaux, Sir John his heir, and Sir Christopher; and a daughter Joan, married to James the 5th Lord Berkeley, being his third wife, by whom he had no issue; and 2dly, to Edmund Hungerford, Esq.

1 Cath
2 Eliz
(2d E.) Sir JOHN, who succeeded his father, was, with his brother Sir Christopher slain in the battle of Northampton, fighting for the house of Lancaster, July 10, 1460. He married first, Catharine, daughter of Sir Edward Burnel, son of Hugh Lord Burnel; but she dying without issue, he married, 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter to James Butler, Earl of Ormond, and by her had John his heir, Sir James Talbot, Kt. who died without issue; Sir Gilbert Talbot, from whom the present Earl of Shrewsbury is descended; Christopher, Archdeacon of Chester, and George; and also two daughters, Anne, wife of Sir Henry Vernon; and Margaret, married to Thomas Chaworth, Esq.

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(3d E.) JOHN, was Chief Justice of South-Wales; and died on June 28, 1473, leaving issue by Catharine his wife, daughter to Humphrey Stafford, Duke of Buckingham, George his successor, aged five years, and Thomas, who died without issue; and a daughter Anne, married to Thomas Butler, the last Baron of Sudley.

11 Ann
2 Eliz
(4th E.) GEORGE, died on the 26th of July 1542. Having married first Anne, daughter to William Lord Hastings, and by her had six sons, 1. Henry, who died young; 2. Francis, his heir; 3, 4. John, and John, who died in their infancy; 5. William; 6. Richard, both died without issue; and five daughters, Margaret, Anne, Dorothy, Mary, and Elizabeth; whereof the latter was married to William Lord Dacres of Gillefland; Mary to Henry Percy, 6th Earl of Northumberland; and the eldest to Henry Clifford, Earl of Cumberland; and marrying to his second wife, Elizabeth, one of the daughters and coheirs to Sir Richard Walden, by her had John, who died young; and Anne, who was first married to Peter Compton, Esq; by whom he had issue Henry Lord Compton, ancestor of the Earl of Northampton; and 2dly, to William Herbert, the first Earl of Pembroke.

11 Mary
(5th E.) FRANCIS, by the 1st wife, who succeeded his father, died on the 21st of September, 1560; having married Mary daughter to Thomas Lord Dacres of Gillefland, and by her had George his heir; Thomas who died unmarried

2 Mary
his 2d wife was Grace relict of Robt Shakerley of
Grace in Cheshire she died Aug. 1558.

married; and Anne, first married to John Lord Bray, and after to Thomas Lord Wharton.

(6th E.) GEORGE, was summoned to Parliament in the life-time of his father. In the 15th Elizabeth, he was Lord High Steward for the trial of Thomas Howard, Duke of Norfolk; and, after his death, was constituted Earl-Marshal of England. By his 2d wife, Elizabeth, daughter to John Hardwick, of Hardwick in the county of Derby, Esq. widow, 1st of Robert Barley, Esq. 2dly of Sir William Cavendish, of Chatsworth, in the county of Derby, Kt. and 3dly of Sir William St. Lo, he had no issue; but by his first, who was Gertrude, daughter to Thomas, the first Earl of Rutland, he had four sons and three daughters; whereof Catharine was married to Henry Herbert, the 2d Earl of Pembroke; Mary the 2d, to Sir George Savile, and Grace, to Henry Cavendish, Esq. And of the sons, which were Francis, Gilbert, Edward, and Henry, the latter married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Rayner by whom he had two daughters, Gertrude, who married Robert Pierpoint Earl of Kingston; and Mary, to Sir William Airmine, and Francis, the eldest son, having married Anne, daughter of William the first Earl of Pembroke; and dying before his father without issue.

(7th E.) GILBERT the 2d who had summons to Parliament, as a Baron in his father's life-time, became heir; but dying on the 8th of May, 1616, left issue by Mary his wife, daughter to Sir William Cavendish before-mentioned, three daughters, between whom the greatest part of his estate was divided; Mary being married to William Herbert, the 3d Earl of Pembroke; Elizabeth to Henry Grey, the 9th Earl of Kent; and Alatheia to Thomas Howard, Earl of Arundel; but having no surviving issue male, his honour devolved upon his brother

(8th E.) EDWARD, who married Joan, eldest daughter and coheir of Cuthbert Lord Ogle; but dying February 18, 1618, and leaving no surviving issue, we now return to

Sir GILBERT Talbot, third son to John the second Earl, who was Knight of the Garter. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Ralph Lord Graystock, widow of Thomas Lord Scrope, by whom he had issue two sons, Sir Gilbert and Sir Humphrey, which latter died without issue. He married, 2dly, Ethelred, daughter of William Cotton, Esq; widow, 1st, of Thomas Barton, Esq; and 2dly, of Sir Richard Gardiner, Lord-Mayor of London, by whom he had issue Sir John Talbot, of Albrighton.

Sir

Sir GILBERT, the eldest son, married 1st, Anne, daughter and coheir of Sir William Paston, by Anne, third sister and coheir to Edmond Beaufort, Duke of Somerset; and 2dly, Elizabeth, relict of — Wynter. He left issue by his first wife three daughters, Margaret, wife of Robert Newport, Esq; Eleanor, wife of Jeffrey Dudley, Esq; and Mary, married 1st, to Sir John Littleton; and 2dly, to Thomas Astley, Esq; and two sons, Humphry and Walter, who both died without issue.

Sir JOHN Talbot, their uncle, married 1st, Margaret, daughter and heir of Thomas Troutbeck, Esq; by Edith, daughter and heir of Sir Baldwin Lestrangle, by Margaret, daughter and heir of Robert Molineux, Esq; 3d son of Sir Richard Molineux, Knt. and left issue, besides other children, John Talbot, of Grafton, Esq. He married, 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter of — Wrottesley, from whom descended a numerous posterity, and particularly the present Lord T A L B O T.

JOHN Talbot, of Grafton, married Frances, daughter of Sir John Giffard, by her had Joan, married to Sir John Bowes; and a son

JOHN, who married Catherine, daughter of Sir William Petre, and left two sons,

(9th E.) GEORGE, who upon the death of Edward, the 8th Earl, succeeded to the honour, and John; and the said George dying in the year 1630 unmarried, the title descended to

(10th E.) JOHN Talbot, (his brother's son,) by Eleanor, daughter and coheir to Sir Thomas Baskerville, who had also two other sons, Thomas and Gilbert; and two daughters, Mary and Catherine, married to James Pool, and died on February 8, 1657.

This JOHN, the 10th E. by his 2d wife, Frances, daughter to Thomas, the first Lord Arundel, of Wardour, had three sons, ^{son of John brother of Geo 9th} Thomas, John, who died young, and Bruno; and a daughter Anne, married to Sir Thomas Hammer, Kt. and by his 1st, who was Mary, daughter to Sir Francis Fortescue, he had four sons and three daughters, Frances, married to Sir George Winter, Catherine to Thomas Whetenhal, Esq; and Mary, 1st, to Charles Arundel, Esq; and 2dly, to Mervin, Earl of Cattlehaven: And of the sons, who were George, Francis, Edward, and Walter; Edward was killed at Marston-Moor, in the King's service; and George, the eldest, who married Mary, daughter to Percy Herbert Lord Powys, dying before his father without issue,

(11th E.)

(11th E.) FRANCIS the 2d. succeeded to the honour, February 8, 1653, but died of a wound he received in a duel with George, Duke of Buckingham, March 16, 1667. He married 1st, Anne, daughter and heir to Sir John Coniers, by whom he had issue Coniers, who died young; and Mary, married to Thomas Stoner, Esq; and by his 2d, who was the Lady Anna-Maria, daughter to Robert Brudenel, the 2d Earl of Cardigan, he had two sons, Charles his heir, and John, who was killed in a duel by Henry, Duke of Grafton, on February 2, 1686, in the 21st year of his age.

(12th E.) CHARLES, who succeeded his father, was on the 30th of April, 1694, created Marquis of Alton and Duke of Shrewsbury. In 1705, he married Adelhida, daughter of the Marquis of Pallioti, of Bologna, in Italy, descended by the mother's side from Robert Dudley, Earl of Leicester, the great favourite of Q. Elizabeth, but dying without issue, on the 1st of February, 1718, the titles of Marquis and Duke became extinct, but that of Earl descended to

(13th E.) GILBERT, the eldest son of Thomas ^{fore-} said, ^{by his 2d Wife Frances} youngest son of John, the 10th Earl, and he died in ^{around} December 1733, whereupon the title devolved on

(14th E.) GEORGE, eldest son of George, (next brother to Gilbert) who on the 11th of March, 1719, married Mary, daughter to Thomas Viscount Fitzwilliam, in Ireland, by whom, who died September 20, 1752, he had issue seven sons and three daughters, viz. 1. George, the present Earl; 2. The Hon. Charles Talbot, married to Mary, daughter and coheir of Robert Allwyn, of Trayford, in the County of Suffex, Esq; which lady died in child-bed of a daughter, Mary, June 2, 1750; and he married secondly, April 2, 1752, Mary, daughter of Sir Pierce Mostyn, of Talacre, in Flintshire, Bart. by whom he had, 1. Charles, born March 8, 1753; George; 2. Anne, born March 9, 1754. 3. John; 4. James; 5. Thomas; 6. Francis, married to Lady Anne, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Fauconberg; 7. Gilbert, who died an infant; 8. Lady Barbara, his eldest daughter, married June 30, 1744, to James Lord Aston, and died at Paris in November 1759; 9. Lady Mary, married in July 1749, to Charles Dormer, Esq; son and heir to John Lord Dormer; and 10. Lady Lucy, who is unmarried.

(15th E.) GEORGE, the eldest son, succeeded and married

ried November 21, 1753, Elizabeth, daughter of John Lord Dormer, as above mentioned.

CREATIONS.] Baron Talbot by writ, June 5, 1330, Earl of Shrewsbury, May 20, 1442, Earl of Wexford and Waterford, July 17, 1446.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a lion rampant, within a border engrailed, *or*, [*Plate 7.*]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a lion, *or*, his tail extended.

SUPPORTERS.] Two talbots, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Prest d'accomplir.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Isleworth in Middlesex; at Alton-castle, in Staffordshire; at Heathorpe, near Woodstock, in Oxfordshire.



STANLEY, EARL OF DERBY.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD SMITH STANLEY, Earl of DERBY, Lord and Baron Stanley of Latham, and Baronet, succeeded his grandfather the late Earl, Feb. 22, 1766. He married 23d June 1774, Lady Elizabeth Hamilton, sister of the present Duke Hamilton, by whom he has two children, Edward Lord Stanley, born in 1777, and Lady Charlotte, born Nov. 2, 1776.

Of this ancient and noble family, who took their surname from the Lordship of Stanleigh, in the Moorlands, Staffordshire, are the Stanleys of Hooton in Cheshire, who have been there seated for many ages, and from whom descended **this family are Barons.*

Sir JOHN Stanley, Kt. an eminent person in the time of K. Richard II.

In the reign of K. Henry IV. (upon the forfeiture of Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland) he, with his brother William, being sent to seize the Isle of Man, obtained a grant in fee of the said isle, castle, and peeble, or pile, anciently called Holmtown, as also of all the regalities, franchises, and rights thereto belonging, to be holden of the said King, his heirs and successors, by homage, and the service of two falcons, (the island then abounding with such birds) payable on the days of their coronation; so that from the reign of the aforesaid King, till Feb. 1736, (excepting the

the interval that Lord Fairfax had it, during the late civil wars) the Earls of Derby have had an absolute jurisdiction over the people and soil; and were immediate landlords of every man's estate, (some few Barons only excepted) and reserving their homage to the crown of England, had a full and ample authority.

He married Isabel daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Latham, Kt. and by her had Sir John his successor, and Thomas, who married the daughter and heir of Sir John Arderne, which branch is extinct.

Sir JOHN, who succeeded, had by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Harrington, 1. Sir Thomas; 2. Sir William, who married the Countess of Worcester; 3. Sir John, ancestor to the present Sir John Stanley, Bart. 4. James, Archdeacon of Cheshire; and a daughter Isabel, married to Sir John Warren.

Sir THOMAS left issue by Joan his wife, daughter to Sir Robert Goushill, Kt.: Thomas his heir, and three daughters; Margaret, married to Sir William Troutbeck, and Elizabeth to Sir Richard Molineux; and Catharine to Sir John Savage, and in the 1st of Edward IV.

(1st E.) THOMAS the son, had summons to Parliament among the Barons. He married first Eleanor, daughter to Richard Nevile, Earl of Salisbury, sister to the great Earl of Warwick, by whom he had six sons, and four daughters; and his 2d wife was Margaret, daughter and heir to John Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, widow of Edmund Tudor, Earl of Richmond, and mother to K. Henry VII. but by her he had no issue, and died in 1504. Of the daughters by the first wife, which were Alice, Catharine, Anne, and Margaret, the latter was married to Sir John Osbaldeston, but the other three died young; and of the sons, Thomas the eldest, Richard the 2d, and William the 4th, died young; James the 6th was Bishop of Ely; Edward the 5th, was Knight of the Garter, and in the 5th of Henry VIII. for his service at Flodden Field, was made Lord Monteagle. He married Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir George Vernon, and had issue Thomas Lord Monteagle, Father of William Lord Monteagle, who leaving an only daughter and heir, Elizabeth, married to Edward Parker, Lord Morley, their son and heir William, in right of his mother, was Lord Monteagle, who revealed the powder-plot against King James I. This Lord having married the Countess of Richmond, was suspected as a well-wisher to the Earl her

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fen, and was therefore denied leave to retire into the country, 'till he had given up George his son and heir, as a hostage, lest he should stay in those parts on purpose to join with the Earl at his landing; which, as appears by his siding with him at the day of battle, was his real design, and K. Richard III. being slain in Bosworth field, he there set the crown, found amongst the spoils, upon the Earl of Richmond's head, and proclaimed him King by the name of Henry VII. who in the 1st year of his reign, made him Lord High Steward of England, and created him Earl of Derby.

GEORGE, his eldest surviving son, having married Joan, daughter and heir to John Lord Strange of Knokin, had thereupon summons to Parliament by the title of Lord Strange. He left issue a son, Thomas, and Sir James Stanley, from whom the present Earl is descended; and two daughters, Jane, married to Sir Robert Sheffield, and Elizabeth.

(2d E.) THOMAS, who succeeded his grandfather, married Anne, daughter to Edward Lord Hastings, and sister to George the 1st Earl of Huntingdon, by her had John Lord Strange, who died before him, Edward his heir, Henry, who died young; and Margaret, married to Robert Radcliff, Earl of Sussex.

(3d E.) EDWARD, who in 1521, succeeded his father, marrying first Dorothy, daughter to Thomas Howard, the 2d Duke of Norfolk, by her had three sons, Henry, Thomas, and Edward, and also four daughters; of which, the Lady Anne was first married to Charles Lord Stourton, and after to John Arundel; Elizabeth, to Henry Parker, Lord Morley; Mary, to Edward Lord Stafford; and Jane, to Edward Lord Dudley. And of the sons, Henry the eldest succeeded his father; and the other two were knighted;

Sir Tho. S.
ob. 1576
his son
Sir Edw. S.
ob. 1632
Digby

whereof, Sir Thomas married Margaret daughter and co-heir of Sir George Vernon, by whom he had a son, Sir Edward Stanley, Knight of the Bath, who married the Lady Lucy Percy, 3d daughter and co-heir of Thomas the 7th Earl of Northumberland, and had 2 daughters, his co-heir married to Sir Kenelm Digby, Kt. and Sir Edward was seated at Lynsham, in the county of Oxford. *3d son of Edw. 3d*

The Earl married, 2dly, Margaret, daughter to Ellis Barlow, Esq; and by her had two daughters, Catharine married to Sir Thomas Knevit, Knt. and Margaret, first to Sir John Jermyn, and afterwards to Sir Nicholas Pointz. His third wife was Mary, daughter to Sir George Cotton; but by her, who afterwards married Henry the seventh Earl of

of Kent, he had no issue; and died on the 24th of October, 1572. *1574?*

(4th E.) HENRY, his eldest son, by his first wife, succeeded him. He married Margaret, only child to Henry Clifford, Earl of Cumberland (by Eleanor his wife, second daughter and coheir to Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, by Mary, the French Queen, third daughter to King Henry VII.) and dying Sept. 25, 1593, left two sons,

(5th E.) FERDINANDO and William; of which, the eldest succeeded his father, and marrying Alice, daughter to Sir John Spencer, of Althorp, by her (who afterwards married Thomas, Visc. Brackley) had three daughters his heirs; whereof, Anne, the eldest, was married to Grey Bridges, Lord Chandos, and 2dly, to Mervin Earl of Castlehaven.

Frances the second, married Sir John Egerton, who was created Earl of Bridgewater; and Elizabeth the youngest, married Henry Lord Hastings, afterwards Earl of Huntingdon; but the said Ferdinando had no son, and died April 16, 1594.

(6th E.) WILLIAM his brother became heir to the Earldom; he married Elizabeth, eldest daughter to William Lord Burleigh, and sister to the Earls of Exeter and Salisbury, by whom he had James his heir, and three daughters; of which the Lady Anne was first married to Sir Henry Portman, Bart. and afterwards to Robert, Earl of Ancram; but a dispute arising between the said William Earl of Derby, and the daughters of his brother Ferdinand, touching the title to the Isle of Man, he purchased their several claims; which agreement, together with the King's fresh grant, was ratified by Act of Parliament, July 7, the 7th of James I. To him, on Sept. 22, 1642, succeeded

(7th E.) JAMES his son, who was beheaded at Bolton in Lancashire, Oct. 15, 1651. He married Charlotte de la Tremouille, daughter to Claud, Duke of Tremouille in France, and the Lady Charlotte Brabantina de Nassau, his wife, daughter to the renowned Count William of Nassau, Prince of Orange, and Charlotte of Bourbon his wife, and by her had Charles his successor, and three daughters; Henrietta-Mary, married to William the 2d Earl of Strafford; Catharine, to Henry Pierpoint, Marquis of Dorchester; Amelia-Sophia, to John Marquis of Athol in the kingdom of Scotland, who succeeded to the title of Baron

Strange of Knockyn, in right of the said Amelia-Sophia his grandmother.

(8th E.) CHARLES, who succeeded, married Dorothea-Helena, Daughter of Baron Rupa, a German nobleman; and dying on the 21st of December, 1672, by her left William-Richard-George, his heir; Robert, 2d son, who died unmarried; James, 3d son; Charles, 4th son; also two daughters; Charlotte, married Thomas Savage, Visc. Colchester, eldest son of Thomas Earl Rivers; and Mary, who died unmarried.

(9th E.) WILLIAM-RICHARD-GEORGE, who succeeded his father, married the Lady Elizabeth Butler, daughter to Thomas Earl of Ossory, and sister to James Duke of Ormond, by whom he had one son, James Lord Strange, who died before him (at Venice) unmarried; and two daughters; Henrietta, first married to John Annesley the 4th Earl of Anglesea, and 2dly, to John Lord Ashburnham; and Elizabeth, who died April 24, 1714; and the Earl their father dying November 5, 1702, without surviving issue male,

(10th E.) JAMES his brother became heir. ^{in 1705.} He married Mary, daughter and sole heir to Sir William Morley, and by her, who died March 29, 1752, had a son William, who was born Jan. 31, and died the 4th of March, 1710; and his Lordship dying without issue, Feb. 1, 1736, the Barony of Strange, and Lordship of Man, devolved on James Murray Duke of Athol in Scotland, son and heir of John Marquis of Athol, by the Lady Amelia-Sophia, his wife, daughter of James Lord Strange the 7th Earl of Derby; and the Barony of Stanley and Earldom of Derby devolved on Sir Edward Stanley of Bickerstaff, Bart. descended from George Lord Strange, son of Thomas the first Earl of Derby, whose 2d son,

Sir JAMES Stanley, married the sister of Sir Percival Hart; and had issue, Sir George and Henry, the former of whom had issue two sons, Edward and Henry, who both survived him, and died without issue male.

HENRY, second son of Sir James, became the chief heir male of this branch, and marrying Margaret, daughter and heir to Peter Stanley, of Bickerstaff, in the county of Lancaster, left two sons, Edward and James, which

(1st Bart.) Sir EDWARD, who was of Bickerstaff, was created a Baronet June 26th, 3 Car. I. He married first Catharine, daughter of Sir Randal Manwaring, by whom he

he had only two daughters : 2dly, Isabel daughter to Sir Peter Warburton, by whom he had six sons, of which

(2d Bart.) Sir THOMAS the eldest, married Mary, daughter of Peter Egerton, and dying in May 1653, left two sons, Sir Edward and Peter, and one daughter married to — Braidhaigh, of Pennington in Lancashire, Esq; Peter the youngest son, married Catharine daughter of Colonel Rigby, by whom he had issue, Thomas his only son and heir, who married Catharine daughter of Anthony Parker, Esq; by whom he had three sons, Charles born in 1715; Thomas born in 1717; and James.

(3d Bart.) Sir Edward Stanley, Bart. the eldest son and heir, was born in 1643, and married in 1664, Elizabeth daughter of Thomas Boswell, Esq; and dying Oct. 16, 1671, left issue one son and three daughters, Mary and Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Barbara, married to the Rev. Mr. Zachary Taylor.

(4th Bart.) Sir THOMAS Stanley, Bart. the only son, was born Sept. 27, 1670, and in 1688 married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Thomas Patten, Esq; who dying about six years after, he married, 2dly, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Holcroft, Esq; and relict of Sir Richard Standish, by whom he had issue, and died May 7, 1713. He had issue by his first Lady, four sons, 1. Edward, born Sept. 17, 1689; 2. Thomas, born 1690, and died young; 3. John, born in 1692, married, 1st, Alice daughter of Edward Warren, Esq; and 2dly, Mrs. Sarah Earle of Liverpool; and 4. William born in 1694, and died young.

(5th Bart. 11th E.) EDWARD the eldest was the late Earl of Derby, the titles devolving to him, on the death of the tenth Earl of Derby, April 13, 1736; he married, in 1714, Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Robert Hesketh, of Rufford, in Lancashire, Esq; and by her, who died Feb. 24, 1776, he had three sons and six daughters issue, 1. James Lord Strange, born in January 1717, married March 17, 1747, to Lucy, one of the three daughters and coheirs of Hugh Smith, of Weald-hall, in Essex, Esq; and by her who died February 7, 1759, had issue, Edward, the present Earl, Thomas, James, Elizabeth, Lucy, married April 25, 1772, to Jeffery Hornby, Esq; Harriot; and he died in his father's life-time, 1st June, 1771. The daughters are, 1. Lady Elizabeth, married, in March, 1746, to Sir Peter Warburton, Bart. 2. Lady Mary. 3. Lady Isabella, 4. Lady Margaret,

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Margaret, who died March 9, 1776. 5. Lady Jane. And, 6. Lady Charlotte, married to Gen. John Burgoyne. His sons Thomas and Edward died young; and the Earl dying Feb. 22, 1776, was succeeded by his grandson,

(12th E.) EDWARD SMITH, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Stanley, Jan. 20, 1456, Earl of Derby, Oct. 27, 1485.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a bend, *azure*, three bucks heads caboshed, *or*. [Plate 7.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, an eagle with wings expanded, *or*, preying upon an infant in its cradle, *proper*,

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon; on the sinister, a buck, both *or*, ducally collared, and chained, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Sans Changer*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Knowesly and Bickerstaff, both in the county of Lancaster.

HASTINGS, EARL OF HUNTINGDON.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS HASTINGS, Earl of HUNTINGDON, and Baron Hastings, Hungerford, Botreaux, Molins, Newmark, and Moles, was born March 30, 1728.

This illustrious family derives its descent from ROBERT de Hastings, whose son WILLIAM was Steward of the Household to K. Henry I. and his son HUGH, was father of WILLIAM de Hastings; who, marrying Ida, daughter to Henry Earl of Ewe, by her had two sons, William, and ROBERT; from William, who in the 1st of K. John, had summons to Parliament among the peers, descended John Lord Hastings, whose wife was Isabel, sister and coheir to Aymere de Valence, Earl of Pembroke, and by her he had another John Lord Hastings, whose son Laurence Lord Hastings, Weshford, and Abergavenny, was by letters patent, bearing date Oct. 3, 1339, created Earl of Pembroke. He married to his first wife, the daughter of the Earl of St. Paul, by whom he had no issue; but by his 2d, who was Agnes, daughter to Roger Mortimer Lord of Wigmore, and Earl of March, he had John Lord Hastings,

tings, who in the 22d of Edward III. succeeded him, and died in France, April 16, 1375. He married first Margaret, youngest daughter to K. Edward III. and his Queen Philippa, by whom he had no issue; but by his 2d, Anne, daughter and heir to Sir Walter Manny, by Margaret his wife, Duchess of Norfolk, daughter and heir of Thomas of Brotherton, eldest son of K. Edward I. by Margaret his 2d wife, daughter to Philip the Hardy, K. of France, he had John Hastings, the 3d Earl of Pembroke, who, after he had enjoyed the honour 14 years, was slain in a tournament at Woodstock in 1389, by Sir John St. John. He married Philippa, 3d daughter to Edmund Mortimer, Earl of March, and dying without issue, his inheritance devolved upon Reginald Lord Grey of Ruthin, whose grandmother was sister of Laurence Hastings, the 1st Earl of Pembroke of this family. Having done with this branch, we return to Robert de Hastings 2d son of William, and Ida, daughter to the Earl of Ewe, as at first mentioned; which Robert, had a great grandson named Rafe, whose son Rafe marrying Margaret, sister and heir to Sir Robert Herle, by her had another Rafe Hastings, who lived in the 47th of Edward III. and was knighted. He married Isabel, daughter and heir to Sir Robert de Saddington, and by her (besides a daughter Margaret, married to Sir Roger Heron,) had a son Rafe, who died 21 Richard II. He married Anne, daughter to Sir James Fines, Kt. and from that match descended

(1st L.) WILLIAM de Hastings, who was summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Hastings of Ashby de la Zouch; but was murdered in the Tower, by order of Richard Duke of Gloucester. He married Catharine, daughter to Richard Nevile, Earl of Salisbury, and by her left

(2d L.) EDWARD his heir and successor; who left issue by Mary his wife, daughter and sole heir to Sir Thomas Hungerford, George his successor, and Anne, married to Thomas Stanley the 2d Earl of Derby.

(3d L. and 1st Earl) GEORGE, who succeeded, was created Earl of Huntingdon; but dying March 24, 1544, left issue by Anne, daughter to Henry Stafford, the 2d Duke of Buckingham, five sons and three daughters. Of the daughters which were Dorothy, Mary, and Catharine, the eldest married Sir Richard Devereux, Kt. son and heir of Walter Visc. Hereford; by whom she had Walter Earl of Essex. Of the sons, who were Francis, Sir Edward, Thomas,

Thomas, Henry, and William; the 2d, who was Kt. of the Garter, was by Q. Mary created Lord Hastings of Loughborough in the county of Leicester; but died at Stoke-Pogies in Bucks, where he had built a chapel, and founded and endowed an hospital, leaving no issue.

(2d E.) FRANCIS, who, in 1544, succeeded his father, died on the 20th of June, 1561, leaving issue by Catharine his wife, one of the daughters and heirs to Henry Pole, Lord Montacute (son and heir of Sir Richard Pole, Kt. of the Garter, and Margaret Plantagenet, Countess of Salisbury, daughter and heir to George Duke of Clarence) Henry his successor, Sir George, Sir Edward, and Walter; and three daughters, Catherine, married to Henry Clinton the 2d Earl of Lincoln; Frances, to Henry Lord Compton; and Elizabeth, to Edward Somerset, the 4th Earl of Worcester. Of the sons, Walter the youngest, married Joyce, daughter to William Roper; Sir Edward married Barbara, daughter to Sir William Devereux, widow of Edward Cave, Esq;

(3d E.) HENRY who succeeded his father, married Catharine daughter to John Dudley, Duke of Northumberland; and dying on the 14th of December, 1595, without issue,

(4th E.) Sir GEORGE, his brother, became heir. He married Dorothy, 2d daughter and coheir to Sir John Port, by whom he had three sons, Francis, Sir Henry, and Sir Edward; and two daughters; whereof Catharine was the 2d wife of Sir Walter Chetwynd, and Dorothy married 1st, to Sir George Stuart, who was killed in a duel at Islington, by Sir George Wharton; 2dly, to Robert Dillon, Earl of Roscommon in Ireland. Of the sons, Sir Henry married Dorothy, daughter and coheir of Sir Frances Willoughby, and dying the 5th of Oct. 1650, in the 99th year of his age, left a son, Sir George Hastings, Kt. who died the 25th of Oct. 1651, in the 63d year of his age. Sir Edward died at Vienna.

FRANCIS Lord Hastings, their elder brother, who died in his father's life-time, marrying Sarah, sister to John Lord Hartington, left three sons and two daughters; Catharine married to Philip Stanhope, the 1st Earl of Chesterfield; and Theodosia, to Sir Francis Bodenhams. Of the sons, Sir George the youngest, married Seymour, daughter and coheir to Sir Gilbert Prinn; Edward died a Captain at sea under Sir Walter Raleigh; and

(5th E.)

(5th E.) HENRY the eldest, succeeded his grandfather, ¹⁶⁰⁴ and died Nov. 14, 1643. He married Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Ferdinando Earl of Derby; and left two sons, Ferdinando and Henry; and two daughters; Alice married to Sir Gervase Clifton, Bart. being his 7th wife; and Elizabeth to Sir Hugh Calverly. Henry, the youngest son, was by letters patent, dated Oct. 23. 1643, created Baron of Loughborough, but died unmarried in Jan. 1666.

(6th E.) FERDINANDO, who succeeded, had summons to Parliament in his father's life-time, Nov. 3, 1640. He married Lucy, daughter and sole heir to Sir John Davies, and had issue, 1. Henry Lord Hastings, who died June 24, 1649, aged 19. 2. John, who died in Dec. 1639. 3. Ferdinando, who died in 1647; and 4. Theophilus his heir; and six daughters, four of whom died young. Elizabeth, married to Sir James Langham, and Mary to William Joliffe, Esq.

(7th E.) THEOPHILUS, born December 10, 1650, on the 13th of February, 1655, succeeded his father. He married to his first wife Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heir to Sir John Lewis, and by her had George Lord Hastings, his heir, and a daughter of her name, who died in December 1739, unmarried.

(8th E.) GEORGE, who on the 13th of May, 1701, succeeded his father, dying unmarried, February 22, 1704, we return to Theophilus his father, who on the 2d of May, 1690, marrying to his 2d wife Frances, daughter and sole heir to Francis Leveson Fowler, Esq; (by Anne his wife, 2d daughter to Peter Venables, Baron of Kington, in Cheshire, widow of Thomas Needham, Viscount Kilmorey in Ireland) by her, who afterwards married the Chevalier de Ligondes, had two sons, and five daughters, viz. Theophilus, born November 12, 1696; Ferdinando, born October 22, 1699, and died the 9th of August 1726; the Lady Anne-Jacqueline, born May 1, 1691, died July 1, 1755, unmarried; Lady Alice, born and died January 21, 1692; Lady Frances, born January 8, 1694, died January 23, 1750; Lady Catharine-Maria, born February 13, 1697, married to the Rev. Granville Wheeler, son and heir of Sir George Wheeler; and the Lady Margaret, born February 15, 1700; and

(9th E.) THEOPHILUS, their eldest brother, succeeded George his half-brother; and on the 3d of June, 1728, married the Lady Selina Shirley, 2d daughter and one of the

the three coheirs of Washington Earl Ferrers; by her had issue four sons; Francis, born March 13, 1728; George, 2d son, born March 29, 1730, who died in December 1743; Ferdinando, 3d son, born January 23, 1732, who died in May 1743; Henry, 4th son, born December 12, 1739, died September 12, 1751. Also three daughters; Elizabeth, born March 23, 1732, married February 26, 1752, to the Lord Rawdon, now Earl of Moira, of the Kingdom of Ireland; Selina, born June 1735, died an infant; Selina, born December 3, 1737, died May 13, 1763: And his Lordship dying, October 13, 1746, was succeeded by his eldest son

(10th E.) FRANCIS, now Earl of Huntingdon.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Hastings of Ashby de-la-Zouch in the county of Leicester, July 26, 1461, 1 Ed. IV. Baron of Hungerford of Heytesbury in the county of Wilts, by summons, Nov. 15, 1482, 22 Edw. IV. by descent originally, Jan. 7, 1425, 4 Hen. VI. and created Earl of the county of Huntingdon, Dec. 8, 1529, 21 Hen. VIII.

ARMS.] *Argent, a maunch, sable.* [Plate 7.]

CREST.] On a wreath a buffalo's head erased, *sable*, gorged with a ducal coronet, and armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two man-tygers affrontée, *or*, their visage like the human, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *In veritate victoria.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ashby-de-la-Zouch, and at Donnington, both in the County of Leicester.

HERBERT, EARL OF PEMBROKE.

THE Right Hon. HENRY HERBERT, EARL of PEMBROKE, and Montgomery, Baron Herbert, of Cardiff, Ross, of Kendal, Parr, Fitz-Hugh, Marmion, St. Quintin, and Herbert, of Shurland, was born July 3, 1734, and succeeded Henry, the late Earl, his father, January 9, 1750. His Lordship married, March 13, 1756, Lady Elizabeth Spencer, second daughter to Charles 2^d the late Duke of Marlborough, by whom he has issue, *George Henry* Lord Herbert, born September 11, 1759.

In the descent of Herbert, Earl of Powis, it appears that WILLIAM, Earl of Pembroke, had natural issue by Maud, daughter of Adam ap Howel Graunt,

Sir RICHARD Herbert, of Ewyas, who marrying Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir Matthew Cradock, had issue, 1. Sir William, his heir; 2. Sir George, who married

ried Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Sir Thomas Berkeley, and had a numerous issue; 3. Sir Thomas, from whom descended Sir Arnold Herbert; and the legitimate male line of the said Earl ceasing,

(1st E.) Sir WILLIAM, was in the 5th of Edward VI. 1557 created Lord Herbert, of Cardiff, and Earl of Pembroke. By his 2d wife, Anne, daughter to George Talbot, the 4th Earl of Shrewsbury, and widow of Peter Compton, Esq; he had no issue; but by Anne, his first wife, daughter to Thomas Lord Parr, of Kendal, sister to Catherine, the 6th wife of K. Henry VIII. and sister and coheir to William Parr, Marquis of Northampton, &c. he had two sons, and a daughter Anne, married to Francis Lord Talbot, son and heir apparent to George, the 6th Earl of Shrewsbury; and of the sons, which were Henry and Edward, from the eldest, who on the 17th of March, 1569, succeeded him, is descended the present Earl; and Sir Edward the youngest, married Mary, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Stanley, Esq; and by her had Sir William, who on the 2d of April, 1629, 5 Car. I. was created Baron of Powis; also George, John, and Edward; and eight daughters, Elizabeth. Anne, Joyce, Frances, Katherine, Jane, Mary, and Winifred. Which William Lord Powis married Eleanor, youngest daughter to Henry Percy, the 8th Earl of Northumberland; and dying on the 7th of March, 1655, by her left Percy his heir, and two daughters, Catherine married, 1st, to Sir Robert Vaughan, and 2dly, to Sir James Palmer; and Lucy, 2d daughter, married William Abington, Esq; and the said Percy Lord Powis, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Craven, by her had William, the 3d Lord Powis, and a daughter Mary, married to George Lord Talbot, eldest son of John the 10th Earl of Shrewsbury. William, who on the 19th of January, 1666, succeeded his father, and was the 3d Baron, was on the 4th of April, 1674, 26 Car. II. created Earl of Powis; and on the 24th of March, 1687, following, created Viscount Montgomery, and Marquis of Powis; and by K. James II. after his abdication, was advanced to the titles of Marquis of Montgomery, and Duke of Powis, which titles, (he being outlawed) were never allowed; and died at St. Germain's, on the 2d of June, 1696. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Somerset, Marquis of Worcester, and left issue William his only son, and five daughters; whereof Mary, was first married to Richard Molineux,

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Molineux, Esq; and 2dly, to Francis Browne, the 4th Viscount Montagu in England; Frances, married Kenneth Mackenzie, Earl of Seaforth; Anne, married Francis Smith, Viscount Carrington; Lucy, died unmarried; and Winifred married William Maxwell, Earl of Nithsdale. William, (only son of William, who was outlawed, and died in 1696) was on the 11th of April restored to the titles of Marquis of Powis, &c. and his father's attainder reversed; and marrying Mary, daughter and coheir of Sir Thomas Preston, Bart. by her who died January 8, 1724, had two sons, William Viscount Montgomery, and Lord Edward, who, on the 7th of July, 1734, married Lady Henrietta, daughter of James, Earl of Waldegrave, and dying in November following, left his lady with child of a daughter, born in June 1735, named Barbara, married March 30, 1751, to the late Earl of Powis. And the said Marquis had also six daughters, the ladies Mary, Elizabeth, Anne the 2d wife of Henry the 6th Lord Arundel, of Wardour; Henrietta, Lady Teresa married to Sir Robert Throckmorton, Bart. and died in June 1723; Lady Charlotte, married, 1st, to Edward Maurice, Esq; and 2dly, to Edward Williams, Esq; and died December 9, 1751; and their father dying in October 1745, was succeeded by his only son William, who was the 3d Marquis of Powis, who dying on the 8th of March 1748, his titles became extinct, and his estate came to Henry-Arthur Herbert, late Earl of Powis. We now return to

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1569 (2d E.) HENRY, eldest son of William, Earl of Pembroke, who, in 1569, succeeded his father, married first Catherine, second daughter to Henry Gray, Duke of Suffolk, by Frances, daughter to Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk and Mary the French Queen, from whom he was divorced, his father fearing the Queen's displeasure thereupon; by his 2d, Catherine, daughter to George Talbot, the 6th Earl of Shrewsbury, he had no issue; but taking to his 3d, Mary, daughter to Sir Henry Sydney, (by Mary his wife, daughter of John Dudley, Duke of Northumberland) to whom Sir Philip Sydney her brother dedicated his Arcadia, by her he had two sons, William and Philip, and a daughter Anne, who died young.

1601 (3d E.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, marrying Mary, eldest daughter and coheir to Gilbert Talbot, the 7th Earl of Shrewsbury, had a son Henry, who died

an infant; and dying April 10, 1630, without surviving issue,

(4th E.) PHILIP, his brother, was on the 4th of May, 1605, created Baron of Shurland, and Earl of Montgomery, and succeeded in both titles. By his 2d wife Anne, sole daughter and heir to George Clifford, the 3d Earl of Cumberland, widow of Richard Sackville, the 3d Earl of Dorset, he had no issue; but by his first, who was Susan, daughter, and at length coheir to Edward Vere, Earl of Oxford, by Anne, daughter to the Lord Burleigh, had seven sons and three daughters, Anna-Sophia, married to Robert Dormer, Earl of Caernavon; Catherine and Mary, who died unmarried. Of the sons, who were James, Henry, Charles, Philip, William, James, and John; the latter married Penelope, daughter of Paul Viscount Banning; James married Jane, daughter to Sir Robert Spiller; and his son James married the Lady Catherine Osborne, 4th daughter of Thomas, the first Duke of Leeds, whose son Philip married Mariamne, sister to Charles, the 3d Earl of Winchelsea; the eldest James, and Henry, died young; William died unmarried; and Charles Lord Herbert, married Mary, only daughter to George Villiers, the Great Duke of Buckingham, by Catherine his 1st wife, only daughter and heir to Francis Manners, the 6th Earl of Rutland, by Frances his 1st wife; but died before his father, and before cohabitation. His Lady (who afterwards married, 2dly, James Stuart Duke of Richmond and Lenox, by whom he had a daughter Mary, married to Richard Earl of Arran; and 3dly, to Thomas Howard, Esq. brother to Charles Earl of Carlisle) had by patent, dated 31 Aug. 3d of Charles I. the title of Duchess of Buckingham, granted to her in case of failure of issue male of her father.

(5th E.) PHILIP, his next brother, became heir, and in 1652 succeeded his father. He married 1st Penelope, sole daughter and heir to Sir Robert Naunton, Kt. widow of Paul Visc. Banning, and by her had William his heir; and by his second wife Catharine, daughter of Sir William Villiers, he had two sons Philip and Thomas, and five daughters, Susan, married to John the 3d Lord Powlet of Hinton St. George; Mary, to Sir John Sydenham; and Catharine to Sir John Williams, Bart. Rebecca died Decem. 9, 1729, and Anne died an infant.

(6th E.)

(6th E.) WILLIAM, who on the 11th of December, 1669, succeeded his father, dying on the 8th of July, 1674, unmarried,

(7th E.) PHILIP^x his half-brother became heir. He married Madam Henrietta de Querouaille, (sister to the *Hon^{ble}* Dukes of Portsmouth, who was grandmother to the late *was called* Duke of Richmond) by her, who died Nov. 1. 1728, had *mad* an only daughter Charlotta, first married to John² Lord *pembroke* Jefferies, Baron of Wem, (by whom he had a daughter *see Ann^e* named Henrietta-Louisa, late Countess of Pomfret) and *1st Geo. I* after the Lord Jefferies's decease, she married Thomas *III. 112* Visc. Windfor; but the said Philip her father dying August 29, 1683, without issue male, his title descended to *son of Philip sen^r. 5th by her 2^d wife*

(8th E.) THOMAS, his brother, who married 1st Margaret, sole daughter and heir to Sir Robert Sawyer, and by her, who died November 17, 1706, had seven sons and five daughters. By his second, Barbara, daughter to Sir Henry Slingsby, Bart. and widow of John Lord Arundel *whom he* of Trerice, *married* he had a daughter of her name, who on the 1708 3d of October, 1730, was married to Dudley North of Glenham-hall, in Suffolk, Esq. His Lordship in 1625, married to his third wife, Mary, sister to Scroop Visc. How, and dying Jan. 1733, by her he had no issue, and she afterwards married John Mordaunt, Esq. *brother to the* 4th Earl of Peterborough, in October 1735. Of the daughters by the 1st wife, who were the Ladies Catharine, Margaret, Elizabeth, Anne, and Rebecca, the eldest was married to Sir Nicholas Morice, and died in September 1719; Lady Margaret died in December 1752; and Lady Rebecca married William Lord Abergavenny. Of the sons, which were

(9th E.) HENRY, Robert Sawyer, Thomas, William, John, and Nicholas, the eldest succeeded his father as Earl of Pembroke; on the 28th of August 1733, he married Mary, eldest daughter of Richard Visc. Fitz-William in Ireland, by whom he had one son Henry, now Earl, born July 3, 1734. Robert-Sawyer, 2d brother married Mary, daughter to John Smith, Esq. who in 1705 was speaker of the House of Commons. Charles, 3d brother died unmarried. Thomas, 4th brother was Colonel in the Foot-guards, died in 1739. William, the 5th brother was a Major-General, and died in April, 1757. John 6th brother, died unmarried. Nicholas, 7th brother, died in Feb.

x his son Henry has been created E. of Sandwich 1795 & Baron Portchester 1780.

Feb. 1775, having married 19th July, 1737, Anne, daughter of Dudley North, of Glenham-hall, in Suffolk, Esq. by whom he had a daughter Barbara, born in April 1738, married to Edward Viscount Amiens, son of the Earl of Aldborough, and her Mother died Dec. 27, 1755. His Lordship dying on the 9th of January 1750, was succeeded by his only son; (and the Countess married North Ludlow Bernard, Esq. in Sept. 1757, and died the 13th of February, 1769.)

(10th E.) HENRY, now Earl of Pembroke.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Herbert, of Cardiff in the county of Glamorgan, Oct. 10, 1551, 5 Ed. VI. and the next day Earl of Pembroke; Baron Herbert of Shurland in the isle of Sheppy in Kent, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. I. and at the same time Earl of the county of Montgomery.

ARMS.] Party-per-pale, *azure* and *gules*, three lions rampant, *argent*. [Plate VII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wyvern with wings elevated, *vert*, holding in its mouth a sinister hand, couped at the wrist, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a panther guardant, *argent*, spotted of various colours, with fire issuing out of his mouth and ears, his ducal collar, *azure*. On the sinister, a lion *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Ung je serveyay.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Wilton, in the county of Wilts.

HOWARD, EARL OF SUFFOLK AND BERKSHIRE.

THE Right Hon. HENRY HOWARD, Earl of SUFFOLK and BERKSHIRE, Viscount Andover, and Baron Howard of Charleton, succeeded his grandfather Henry, the late Earl, March 21, 1757, and married May 25, 1764, Maria Constantia, eldest daughter of Robert Viscount Hampden, by whom he had a daughter, who died 21st of July, 1775; the Countess died Feb. 7, 1767. ✕

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✕ he married 2^d 4th L^d Charlotte Finch sister of
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THOMAS the fourth Duke of Norfolk, marrying to his second wife Margaret, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Lord Audley of Walden, by her had a son,

(1st E. of S.) THOMAS, who by act of Parl. in the 27th of Elizabeth was restored in blood; and in the 29th of that reign, had summons to Parliament, by the title of Lord Howard of Walden; and having married Catharine, daughter and coheir to Sir Henry Knevit, widow of Sir Richard, ^{3rd} eldest son of Robert Lord Rich, and sister to the Countess of Lincoln, by her had seven sons and four daughters; whereof Elizabeth was first married to William Knolles, Earl of Banbury, and afterwards to Edward Lord Vaux; Frances to Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, from whom being divorced, she married Robert Carr, Earl of Somerset; Margaret died an infant; Catharine married William Cecil, the 2d Earl of Salisbury. Of the sons, which were Theophilus, Thomas, Henry, Charles, Robert, William, and Edward; Sir Charles the 4th, married Mary, daughter and heir to Sir John Fitz; Henry married Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to William Bassett, Esq. and by her, who afterwards married William Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle, had a daughter of her name, who was married to Sir John Harpur; Thomas the 2d son was created Earl of BERKSHIRE; and the eldest succeeded his father.

(2d E. of S.) THEOPHILUS, who was summoned to Parliament in his father's life-time as Lord Howard of Walden, on May 28, 1626, succeeded. He married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to George Lord Hume, Earl of Dunbar in Scotland, and by her had four sons and five daughters. Of the daughters, Catharine was married 1st, to George Lord Aubigny; and 2dly, to James Earl of Newburg, in Scotland; Elizabeth, to Algernon Percy, the 10th Earl of Northumberland; Margaret to Roger Boyle, the 1st Earl of Orrery in Ireland; Anne, to Thomas Walsingham, Esq. and Frances, to Sir Edward Villiers, Kt. from which marriage descended the present Earl of Jersey. And of the sons, which were James, Thomas, George, and Henry, the 2d had an only son James, who married Charlotte-Jemia-Henrietta-Maria Boyle, natural daughter to King Charles the II. by Elizabeth Viscountess Shannon, and by her had Stuarta Howard, his only child, who died unmarried.

(3d E.

* Geo Stewart Lord d'Aubigny was the 2^d son of Esmeux Lenox & Richmond L^{dy} Kath. Howard. was in love with the young Roman catholick to marry him he was slain at the battle of Kenton A^o 1642. the sole of this marriage was named Charles. who married the beautiful M^{rs} James Stuart & was the last d. of Richmond & Lenox of

(3d E. of S.) JAMES the eldest son, on the 3d of June 1640, succeeded his father. He married to his first wife Susan, daughter to Henry Rich, Earl of Holland, by whom he had an only daughter Essex, married to Edward Lord Griffin; by his 2d, Barbara, widow of Richard Wenman, Esq. only son of Thomas, the 2d Viscount Wenman, and sister to Sir Edward Villiers before-mentioned, who afterwards married Arthur Gorges, Esq. he had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Thomas Felton Bart. whose only daughter married the Earl of Bristol; and by his third wife Anne, eldest daughter to Robert Montagu, the 3d Earl of Manchester, he had no issue. This Earl, dying in 1689, without issue male, was succeeded by

(4th E. of S.) GEORGE his 3d brother, Thomas the 2d being dead, and leaving only a grand-daughter as before observed. He married 1st Catharine, daughter to — Allen, by whom he had two daughters; 2dly, Mary, daughter to Sir Henry Wroth, widow of James Cowper, Esq. but dying in 1691, without issue male,

(5th E. of S.) HENRY his 4th brother became heir, and married first Mary Steuart, daughter and heir to the Lord Castle-Steuart of Ireland, and by her had three sons, and a daughter Diana, married to Colonel John Pitt; but by his 2d, who was widow of Sir John Maynard, Kt. he had no issue, and died on the 9th of December, 1709. Of his sons, by his first wife, which were Henry, Edward, and Charles, all Earls of Suffolk,

(6th E. of S.) HENRY; on the 30th of December 1706, was created Baron of Chesterford in Essex, and Earl of Bindon in the county of Dorset, his father being then alive, and on the 9th of December, 1709, succeeded his father, but died Sept. 19, 1718. By his second wife, the Lady Henrietta Somerset, third daughter to Henry Duke of Beaufort, widow of Henry Lord O'Brien, son of Henry Earl of Thomond in Ireland, he had no issue; but by his first, who was Penelope, daughter to Henry Earl of Thomond, he had four sons, Charles-William, James, Thomas and Arthur; and a daughter Sarah-Henrietta, married in 1721, to Thomas Chester Esq. and died the 28th of March, 1722. James, Thomas, and Arthur, the three youngest sons, died unmarried.

(7th E. of S.) CHARLES-WILLIAM the eldest, succeeded his father; and married Arabella, 4th daughter

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*2d Esq. Howard carried the Coronet of Howard of
 Alden into the family of Griffin - and it was accordingly
 enjoyed by Sir Jno Griffin - Griffin & his sister M^{rs} Parker
 on their death without issue it will pass into the family
 the Hervey's E. of Bristol*

and coheir to Sir Samuel Asty, but dying on the 8th of February 1722, and his Lady in June following, without issue, he was succeeded in the titles of Lord Walden and Earl of Suffolk (the other being extinct) by

(8th E. of S.) EDWARD his uncle, son of Henry the 5th Earl; which Edward dying unmarried, June 22, 1731, the honour and estate devolved on his only brother,

(9th E. of S.) CHARLES, who married Henrietta, sister to John Hobart, the 1st Earl of Buckinghamshire, and died at Bath in September 1733, leaving issue one son, Henry; and her Ladyship married, 2dly, July 1735, George Berkley, Esq.

(10th E. of S.) HENRY, who succeeded, married May 13, 1735, Sarah, sole daughter of Thomas Inwen, Esq. and dying in April, 1745, without issue, she married in October 1752, Lucius Viscount Falkland; and his titles devolved on

(11th E. of S.) HENRY-BOWES HOWARD, Earl of Berkshire, descended from Thomas, 2d son of Thomas the first Earl of Suffolk, who was created Lord Howard of Charleton, Viscount Andover, and Earl of Berkshire; which

(1st E. of B.) THOMAS married Elizabeth daughter and coheir to William the 2d Earl of Exeter, by whom he had nine sons, 1. Charles Lord Andover; 2. Thomas, successor to his brother Charles; 3. Henry, married to Elizabeth, widow of John Lord Craven, daughter of William Lord Spencer, but died without issue in Dec. 1663; and she married, 3dly, William Lord Crofts; 4. William, ancestor of the 4th Earl; 5. Edward who married two wives, and died without issue; 6. Robert; 7. Philip, who married Mary, daughter of Mr. Jennings; 8. James; 9. Algernon. The said Earl had also four daughters, Elizabeth married John Dryden, Esq. poet-laureat; Frances to Conyers the 2d Earl of Holderness; Diana and Mary, who died unmarried; and his Lordship dying in the 90th year of his age, the 16th of July, 1669, was succeeded by

(2d E. of B.) CHARLES his eldest son, who, in his father's life-time had summons to divers Parliaments, by the title of Lord Howard of Charleton. He married Dorothy 2d daughter to Thomas Visc. Savage, and had three sons and two daughters; Anne married to Sir Henry Bedingfield,

field, Bart. and Elizabeth, who died young; but his sons all dying in their youth, his titles and estates, he dying in April 1679, descended to

(3d E. of B.) THOMAS his next brother, who married, 1st, Frances, daughter to Sir Richard Harrifon, and by her had two daughters; Frances, married to Sir Henry Winchcombe, and Mary who died unmarried. He married, 2dly, Margaret, daughter to Sir Thomas Parker, by whom he had no issue; and dying April 12, 1706, we return to

WILLIAM, the 4th son of Thomas the first Earl, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Lowthiel, Lord Dundas of Scotland, had an only son, Craven; and two daughters; Dorothy married to Colonel James Grahme; and Anne, married to Sir Gabriel Sylvius.

Craven, who succeeded his father, marrying to his first wife, Anne, daughter to Thomas Ogle, Esq. by her had Anne, who died unmarried; and taking to his 2d wife Mary, daughter and sole heir to Charles Bowes, Esq. by her (besides two daughters, Mary and Dorothy) had

(4th E. of B. 11th E. of S.) HENRY-BOWES Howard, late Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire, who on the 5th of March, 1709, marrying Catharine, daughter to Colonel James Grahme, had issue three daughters; Lady Diana, who died in January 1712, about two years old; Lady Catharine born in 1715, died unmarried; Lady Frances born June 17, 1725, died unmarried; and five sons, viz. Henry the eldest, and James the second, both died in their minority. *infancy*

WILLIAM Visc. Andover, the third son, born Dec. 13, 1715, died suddenly by a fall from his chaise in Oxfordshire, July 18, 1756. He married November 6, 1736, the Lady Mary Finch, second daughter of Heneage, Earl of Aylesford, by whom he had issue, Henry the present Earl, born May 10, 1739; Elizabeth born May 14, 1744, since dead; and Frances born February 27, 1746; Charles, fourth son of the Earl, born October 13, 1717, died October 1773; Thomas, fifth son, born June 11, 1721, married April 13, 1747, Elizabeth Daughter of William Kingscote; Graham, sixth son, born October 27, 1722, died in the 14th year of his age; and his Lordship dying in March 21, 1757, was succeeded by his grandson

(12th E. of S. 5th E. of B.) HENRY, now Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire.

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament as Baron Howard of Walden in the county of Essex, October 24, 1597, 39 Elizabeth, and created Earl of the county of Suffolk, July 21, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Baron Charleton in the county of Wilts, and Viscount Andover in the county of Southampton, January 23, 1621, 19 Jac. I. and Earl of the county of Berks, February 6, 1625, 1 Car. I.

SUFFOLK ARMS.] *Gules*, a bend between six crosses crosslets fitché, *argent*, with an augmentation in the midst of the bend on an escutcheon, *or*, a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow within a double tressure counterflory, *gules*. [Plate VII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a lion guardant, his tail extended, *or*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *or*, gorged ducally, *argent*. On the sinister, a lion *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Non quo sed quomodo.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Charleton in Wilts; at Levenz in Westmoreland; at Elford in Staffordshire; and at Oxford.

CECIL, EARL OF SALISBURY.

6. Earl **T**HE Right Hon. JAMES CECIL, Earl of SALISBURY, Viscount Cranburn, and Baron Cecil, of Essendon, was born October 20, 1713, and succeeded James, his father, late Earl of Salisbury, Oct. 9, 1728. His Lordship married in 1743, Miss Elizabeth Keet, eldest daughter of Edward Keet, of Hertfordshire, Esq. and by her, who died Feb. 3, 1776, he had issue James Lord Viscount Cranbourn, born in September 1748, and married December 2, 1773, to Lady Mary Hill, daughter of the Earl of Hillsborough; Lady Anne, born in March 1746; and Lady Bennet, born in April 1747.

The descent of this family is under the title of Cecil, Earl of Exeter, William Lord Burleigh married two wives;

wives; by the first he had Thomas, who was created Earl of Exeter; and by the second had

(1st E.) ROBERT, who was created Earl of Salisbury. He married Elizabeth, daughter to William Brook, Lord Cobham, had a son, William; and a daughter Frances, married to Henry Lord Clifford the last Earl of Cumberland.

(2d E.) WILLIAM, on the 24th of May, 1612, succeeded his father in his honours. He married the Lady Catharine Howard, youngest daughter to Thomas the 1st Earl of Suffolk, and had eight sons, 1. James, died an infant; 2. Charles; 3. Robert; 4. Philip; 5. William, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Lawley, Bart. 6. Algernon, married Dorothy, daughter of Sandford Neville, Esq. 7. Edward; and 8. David; and four daughters; whereof Anne was married to Algernon Percy, the 10th Earl of Northumberland; Elizabeth to William Cavendish, the 3d Earl of Devonshire; Catharine to Philip Lord Lisle; and Mary to William Lord Sandys.

CHARLES Viscount Cranbourn, the eldest surviving brother dying before his father, left issue by Jane, daughter and coheir to James Maxwell, Earl of Darlton in Scotland, seven sons and five daughters; Catharine married William the 3d Earl of Kinnoul in Scotland; Frances married Sir William Bowyer, Bart. Diana, Penelope, and Elizabeth. Philip, one of the younger sons, married Nichola eldest daughter of Sir Charles Hamilton; the other sons died unmarried, except

(3d E.) JAMES, the 2d, who on the 3d of December 1669-1688, succeeded his grandfather, and marrying Margaret, 5th daughter of John Manners, the 8th Earl of Rutland, by her had five sons and five daughters; Catharine married Sir George Downing, Bart.² Frances to Sir William Halford; ³Mary to Sir William Forrester, died in April 1740; ⁴Margaret, 1st, to John Lord Stawel; and 2dly, to Richard Jones, Earl of Ranelagh in Ireland, and died on February 21, 1728; and ⁵Mildred, 1st, to Sir Uvedale Corbet; and 2dly, to Sir Charles Hotham. Of the sons, who were James, Robert, William, Charles, and George; Robert married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Isaac Mennil, Esq. widow of William Hale, Esq.

(4th E.) JAMES, the eldest, in 1683, succeeded his father. He married Frances, daughter to Simon Bennet, of ^{of} Esq. and by her who died July 8, 1713, had a son

1709. (5th E.) JAMES, who in December 16, 1694, succeeded him, and married the Lady Anne Tufton, 2d daughter to Thomas Earl of Thanet, and had issue by her, who died April 22, 1757, James Vis. Cranbourn; and William, who died in 1740; and three daughters; the Lady Anne, married to William Strode, Esq. and died in July 1752; Lady Catharine, married in the 15th of February, 1736, to John late Earl of Egmont in Ireland; and Lady Margaret died in March 1752, unmarried. His Lordship dying on the 9th of October, 1728, aged 37, was succeeded in his honours and estates by

(6th E.) JAMES his only son, who is now Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Cecil of Essendon in the County of Rutland, May 13, 1603. 1 Jac. I. Viscount Cranbourn in the county of Dorset, August 20, 1604, and Earl of the city of Salisbury in the county of Wilts, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. I.

ARMS.] Barry of ten, *argent* and *azure*, over all six escutcheons, 3, 2, and 1, *sable*, each charged with a lion rampant of the *field*, a crescent for difference. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, six arrows, *or*, heads and feathers, *argent*, girt together with a bandage, or belt, *azure*, garnished, *or*; and over those feathers a motion-cap, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Sero, sed serio*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hatfield in Hertfordshire; Cranbourn-House in Dorsetshire; Quickswood in the county of Hertford.

CECIL, EARL OF EXETER.

THE Right Hon. BROWNLOW CECIL, Earl of EXETER, and Baron of Burleigh, born Sept. 21, 1725, succeeded his father, Brownlow, the late Earl, who died Nov. 3, 1754. His Lordship married, July 24, 1749, Letitia, sole daughter and heiress of Horatio Townshend, who died in April 1756, leaving no issue.

This ancient and noble family derives its pedigree from the Normans, of whom was

ROBERT

ROBERT Seyfil, Sicelt, or Cecil, who was by William the 11d. rewarded with Lands for his services. To him succeeded

Sir JAMES his son, Baron of Beauport, he was succeeded by

JOHN his son, who, by Maud de Frenes, his wife, had issue

EUSTACE, his heir, who married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Walter Pembroke, Kt. and had issue

Sir BALDWIN Seyfil, slain at the siege of Cardiff-Castle, his father then living. By his first wife, daughter of Maurice de Brampton, he had five sons, Gerald, Eustace, Henry, John, and Walter; and two daughters, Catharine, wife to Hugh ap Meredith Wardake; and Eleanor, wife of Walter Wallis; by his 2d wife, Margaret, daughter of Sir Stephen Radnor, Knt. he had Stephen, Roger, Hugh, David; Maud, a Nun; Joan, married to John de Solers, and Anne, to Owen ap Meredith.

GERALD, the eldest son, succeeded his grandfather. He married Mabel, daughter of Sir William Moigne, and had issue Gerald, who died an infant, Robert, Owen, a Monk; Catharine, married 1st to Sir Griffin ap Yereford, 2dly to David ap Evan, and 3dly to Jefferey, son of Sir Walter Brett; Anne married to Robert Bromwich; Elen to John, son of Sir Richard Abrahall.

ROBERT succeeded his father, and married Alice, daughter of Sir Robert de Tragoze, and had issue four sons, and two daughters, and was succeeded by

JAMES, his eldest son, who married Isabel, daughter of Sir John Knell, Knt. and had issue James, who died young; Gerald his twin-brother, Robert, John; Alice married to Walter Monnington; Grace to Roger Blunt; Eleanor to Thomas Paine; Margery to Morgan ap Meredith; and Cecily 1st to Howel ap Blethin, and 2dly to Sir Hugh Bruge.

GERALD, who succeeded his father, married four wives, by all of whom he had issue, and was succeeded by

JOHN, his eldest by his first wife Margaret, daughter of Stephen de la Bere. He married Sybil, daughter of Robert de Ewyas, and had issue Sir John and George, and a daughter Margaret, married to Sir Robert Baskerville.

Sir JOHN, who succeeded his father, married Alice, sister to Sir Robert Baskerville, and had issue

JOHN,

JOHN, his heir, who married Joan daughter to Sir Richard Mannington, and had issue John, who died in his father's life-time, and

Sir THOMAS, who married Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir Gilbert Winston, had issue

RICHARD his heir, who, by Margaret daughter of Sir John Philips, had issue

PHILIP, who married Maud, daughter and heir of William-Philip Vaughan, and had issue Philip his heir, and

DAVID, from whom the present Earls of Exeter and Salisbury are descended. He married Jane, daughter and heir of Sir John Dicons, and had issue Richard, and David, and a daughter Joan.

RICHARD, who succeeded his father, dying in March 1553, left issue by Jane, daughter and heir to William Heckington, William, his heir; and three daughters; Anne, married to John White, Esq. Elizabeth to Sir Robert Wingfield, and 2dly to Hugh Allington, Esq. and Margaret to Roger Cave, Esq.

1. Lord WILLIAM, his heir, was created Baron of Burleigh, and died in 1598. He married first Mary, daughter to Peter Cheek, by whom he had Thomas, his heir. He married 2dly, Mildred, daughter of Sir Anthony Coke, by whom he had a son Robert; and two daughters, 1st Anne married to Edward Vere, 7th Earl of Oxford, by whom she had three daughters; Elizabeth married to William the 6th Earl of Derby; Bridget to the Lord Norris; and Susan to Philip Herbert, Earl of Montgomery, afterwards Earl of Pembroke; and 2dly, Elizabeth married to William Wentworth, eldest son of Thomas Lord Wentworth, who had no issue. The sons were both made Earls in one day; but Robert was created Earl of SALISBURY in the morning, and

(1st E) THOMAS, the eldest, Earl of Exeter in the afternoon, and succeeded his father in the title of Lord Burleigh. By his second wife Frances, daughter of William Bridges 4th Lord Chandos, widow of Sir Thomas Smith, he had an only daughter Anne-Sophia, that died young; but by his first, who was Dorothy, 2d of the four daughters and coheirs of John Nevil Lord Latimer, by Lucy his wife, 2d daughter to Henry Somerset Earl of Worcester, he had five sons, and eight daughters; Catharine died unmarried;

xx Sir Tho. Sybil commanded a ship in the English fleet agt the Spanish Armada - see pines top

married; ²Lucy married William Powlett, the 4th Marquis of Winchester; ³Mildred first to Sir Thomas Read, and 2dly to Sir Edmund Trafford; ⁴Mary to Edward Lord Denny; Susan died unmarried; ⁵Elizabeth 1st to Sir William Hatton, alias Newport, and after to Sir Edward Coke; ⁶Dorothy, to Sir Giles Allington; and Frances to Sir Nicholas Tufston. ⁷The sons were, 1. William; 2. Sir Richard, who was father of David the 3d Earl; 3. Sir Edward; 4. Thomas, and 5. Christopher; the latter was drowned in Germany; Sir Edward, was created Baron of Putney and Visc. WIMBLEDON in the county of Surry. *Wise + Wimbledon* He married to his first wife Theodosia, sister to Edward Noel the first Visc. Campden, by whom he had four daughters; and by his second, who was Diana, daughter of Sir William Drury, he had another daughter Anne. Of the daughters by his first wife, which were Frances, Elizabeth, Albinia, and Dorothy; the eldest married James Fiennes the 2d Visc. Say and Sele; the 2d to Francis the 4th Lord Willoughby of Parham; and the 3d to Sir Christopher Wray. He married 3dly Sophia daughter to Sir Edmund Zouch, by whom he had an only son Algernon, who died an infant; and his Lady married 2dly Sir Robert King. But having done with this branch, we return to

(2d E.) WILLIAM Lord Burleigh, who, on the 7th of Feb. 1622, succeeded his father. By his 2d wife Elizabeth, another sister and coheir to Sir Robert Drury, he had three daughters; Elizabeth married to Thomas Howard the 1st Earl of Berkshire; Diana, 1st, to Henry Vere Earl of Oxford, and 2dly to Thomas Bruce, Earl of Elgin in Scotland; and Anne to Henry the 1st Earl of Stamford; but by his 1st wife Elizabeth, only daughter and heir to Edward Earl of Rutland, he had William his son, who was Lord Roos, as appears in the account of the Rutland family. *pa. 68* He married Anne daughter of Sir Thomas Lake; but dying in 1618 at Naples, without issue, the title of Earl of Exeter, upon his father's decease, Anno 1639, descended to

(3d E.) DAVID Cecil, son of Sir Richard before-mentioned, his uncle, by his second wife, daughter to Sir Anthony Cope, and that of Lord Roos, reverted on the Earl of Rutland after the death of George Duke of Buckingham, who was son of Catharine, daughter of Francis the 6th Earl of Rutland. He married Elizabeth, daughter to John Egerton

Egerton, the 1st Earl of Bridgewater; and he had John his heir, and a daughter Frances, married to Anthony the 1st Earl of Shaftsbury.

*In^o died
ab. 1678* (4th E.) JOHN, who succeeded his father, married to his second wife Lady Mary Fane, daughter to Mildmay the 2d Earl of Westmoreland, and relict of Frances Palmes, Esq. by whom he had no issue; but by his first, who was Frances, daughter to John the 8th Earl of Rutland, he was father of an other John, David, who died young, and a daughter Frances, married to John Visc. Scudamore in Ireland.

*In^o died
1700* (5th E.) JOHN, who succeeded his father, ^{in 1679} married Anne, only daughter to William Earl of Devonshire, widow of Charles Lord Rich, and by her had John his heir; William, Charles, Edward, all three unmarried; and four daughters, Christian, Anne, Frances, who all died young; and Elizabeth married to Charles Earl of Orrery.

*John
died 21
Dec 1721* (6th E.) JOHN, who, in 1700 succeeded his father, married to his first wife Annabella, daughter to John Bennet Lord Ossulston, sister to Charles Earl of Tankerville, by whom he had no issue; but by his 2d Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Sir John Brownlow, who died Nov. 28, 1723, in the 43d year of her age, he had five sons and a daughter Elizabeth, married to William Aislaby, Esq. but died the 6th of April 1733. Of the sons, which were,

*In^o died
9 Apr. 1722* (7th E.) JOHN, his heir, born 1700; Brownlow, born 1701; William, born 1702; Francis, born 1703; and Charles, born 1705; the three youngest died unmarried; and the eldest, who, on the 21st of December 1721, succeeded his father, dying on the 9th of April 1722, unmarried also,

? Cha^r (8th E.) BROWNLOW, his next brother, became heir; and in 1724, married Hannah-Sophia, eldest daughter to Thomas Chambers of London, merchant, and by her had issue three sons and three daughters, viz. 1. Brownlow, the present Earl; 2. Lady Margaret Sophia, who died in 1738; 3. Thomas Chambers, born June 25, 1728, and died in Sept. 1773. He married Miss Charlotte Gornier, and had issue Henry, born in March 1754. 4. David, died young; Lady Elizabeth, born June 22, 1729; married in May, 1757, to John Chaplyn, Esq. of Blankney, in Lincolnshire; Lady Anne, born in 1734. His Lordship dying Nov. 3, 1754, was succeeded by his eldest son

(9th E.)

(9th E.) BROWNLOW now Earl, whose Lady died the 17th of April 1756, leaving no issue.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron of Burleigh in the county of Northampton, Feb. 25, 1570, 13 Eliz. and Earl of Exeter, in the county of Devon, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. I.

ARMS.] Barry of ten, *argent* and *azure*, over all six escutcheons, 3, 2, and 1, *sable*, each charged with a lion rampant, of the *field*. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a garb, or; supported by two lions, that on the dexter side, *argent*; the sinister, *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Cor unum, via una*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Burleigh, near Stamford, in the county of Northampton.

COMPTON, EARL OF NORTHAMPTON.

THE Right Hon. SPENCER COMPTON, Earl of NORTHAMPTON, and Baron Compton of Compton, succeeded his brother Charles, the late Earl, October 18, 1763. He married Jane, daughter of Henry Lawton, of Northampton, Esq. by whom he has issue, 1. Charles, Lord Compton born March 2, 1760; 2. Lady Frances, born September 10, 1768; the Countess, their mother, died in 1768, and he married secondly, May 16, 1769, Miss Hougham.

This family took its surname from the Lordship of Compton in the county of Warwick, and it appears that

WILLIAM Compton, in the reign of Richard II. married Joan, daughter to John Hobby, Esq. and was father of

ROBERT Compton, whose son

EDMUND dying in 1494, left issue by Joan his wife, daughter and heir to Walter Aylworth, Esq. Sir William his heir, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Walter Rodney, Knt.

Sir WILLIAM Compton was Page of Honour to King Henry VIII. He was knighted by that King for his gallant behaviour at the battle of the Spurs. He died May 31, 1528, aged 47; and by Werburge, daughter and

and heir to Sir John Brereton, widow of Sir Francis Cheyney, left

PETER, his heir, then in Minority, whose wardship was committed to Cardinal Wolfey, but that prelate being in disgrace, he was afterwards in ward to George the 4th Earl of Sarewsbury, who married him before he was 19, to the Lady Anne his daughter, but he dying the 35th of Henry VIII. left Henry his son and heir, who was then but eleven months old; and his mother afterwards married William the 1st Earl of Pembroke. This

(1st L.) HENRY, on the 10th of February, 1566, was knighted by the Earl of Leicester; and on the 8th of May 1572, was summoned by writ to the House of Peers, by the title of Baron Compton of Compton, and marrying Frances, daughter to Francis the 2d Earl of Huntingdon, by her had two sons and one daughter; and by his second wife Anne, daughter to Sir John Spencer, widow of William Lord Monteagle, who married to her third husband, Robert Sackville, the second Earl of Dorset, he had Sir Henry Compton, who married Cicely, daughter to Robert Sackville, Earl of Dorset, by his first wife, and by her he had three sons and three daughters; Cicely, married first to Sir John Fermor, and secondly to Henry the third Lord Arundel of Wardour; Mary to John, son and heir of Richard Visc. Lumley, and Margaret the youngest, was married to Col. Thomas Sackville; and of the sons of the said Sir Henry, which were William, Henry, and George, the 2d was slain in a duel, by Lord George Chandos; but this branch is extinct. Of the issue of Henry Lord Compton, by the Lady Frances Hastings his first wife, Margaret married Henry Lord Mordaunt, by whom she had John, who was created Earl of Peterborough. And of the sons, which were William and Thomas, the latter married Mary, daughter to Anthony Beaumont, widow of Sir William Rayner, who married to her 2d husband Sir George Villiers, and after his decease, she was by King James the 1st. created Countess of Buckingham, July 1, 1618, and was mother of George Villiers Duke of Buckingham, the great favourite of King James and King Charles I.

(2d L. 1st E.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, was first summoned to Parliament, the 35th of Eliz. and was created Earl of Northampton. He married Elizabeth sole daughter and heir to Sir John Spencer, and by her left

left Spencer his heir, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Robert Maxwell, Earl of Nithsdale in Scotland; and Anne to Ulick Marquis of Clanrickard.

(2d E.) SPENCER, was slain at the battle of Hopton-^{A^o 1642} Heath, in the 42d year of his age, having married Mary, daughter to Sir Francis Beaumont, and by her had six sons and two daughters; Anne married to Sir Hugh Cholmley, and Penelope to Sir John Nicholas. ^{Mary} Sir Charles the 2d son, dying in November 1661, left issue by Mary his wife, daughter to Sir Hatton Fermor, a daughter of her name, who on the 15th of May 1676, was married to James Lane, Visc. Lanesborough; as also a son named Hatton Compton, who died in 1740, leaving by Penelope his wife, daughter of Sir John Nicholas, a daughter Penelope, married to Sir Thomas Gooch, Bart. Bishop of Ely, and three sons, Charles, Edward, and James. Sir William, 3d son, died October 19, 1663, in the 39th year of his age, having married Elizabeth, widow of William Lord Allington, of Horsheath in the county of Cambridge. Sir Spencer Compton, 4th son, died at Bruges unmarried in 1659. Sir Francis Compton, 5th son, died on the 20th of December 1716, in the 87th year of his age. He married several wives, but by Jane, daughter to Sir John Trevor, Knt. he had two sons James and John, who both died unmarried; and three daughters, Mary, Frances, and Anne; the eldest whereof married Sir Barrington Bouchier. Henry Compton, 6th son, was Bishop of London, and died on the 7th of July 1711, in the 81st year of his age.

(3d E.) JAMES, eldest son of Spencer, Earl of Northampton, succeeded, and died December 15, 1681. On the 5th of July, 1647, having married the Lady Isabella, youngest daughter and coheir to Richard Sackville, the third Earl of Dorset, and by her, who died October 14, 1661, he had divers children that died young, and one daughter Alathea, married to Edward Hungerford, Esq. but the said Lady Alathea dying without issue in 1678, her great fortune descended to her cousin John Tufton the fourth Earl of Thanet. His second Lady was Mary, daughter to Baptist Noel, Visc. Campden, by whom he had three sons and two daughters, whereof the Lady Juliana died young; but the Lady Mary married Charles Sackville the 6th Earl of Dorset. His three sons were George his successor, James who died young, and Spencer, who

*Spencer
Lord
Wilmington*
who in several Parliaments was speaker of the House of Commons, and was created Baron of Wilmington in the county of Sussex, Jan. 2, 1728, and on the 14th of May, 1730, created Viscount Pevensey, and Earl of WILMINGTON. But his Lordship dying unmarried in July 1743, his titles are extinct.

*Jane
5. Lord
6. Earl*
(4th E.) GEORGE, was under age at his Father's death. In 1686, his Lordship married 1st Jane, youngest daughter of Sir Stephen Fox, and by her (who died July 10, 1721) had four sons and six daughters, viz. 1. James, who succeeded him April 15, 1727. 2. George, who succeeded his brother James, October 3, 1754, and married Frances, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Payne, by whom he had no issue; and the Countess was married, in December 176, to Claudius Amyand, Esq. 3. Stephen, died young. 4. Charles, who died Nov. 20, 1755, having married, August 14, 1727, to Mary, only daughter of Sir Berkeley Lucy, Bart. by whom he had issue two sons and four daughters, viz. Charles, the late Earl of Northampton; Spencer, the present Earl; Mary, married, first, to Richard Haddock, Esq. and secondly, to Arthur Scott, Esq. both in the sea-service; Jane, married Feb. 2, 1753, to Sir George-Bridges Rodney, and died Jan. 28, 1757; Catharine, married, Jan. 26, 1756, to John Earl of Egmont; and Elizabeth, married, in March, 1761, to Henry Drummond, Esq. 5. Lady Elizabeth, eldest daughter, died Jan. 3, 1743. 6. Lady Mary, married in April 1709, to William Gore of Ting in Hertfordshire, Esq. and died in August 1737. 7. Lady Jane, who is also dead. 8. Lady Anne, married, October 16, 1729, to Sir John Rushout of Northwick, and had issue, a son and two daughters. 9. Lady Penelope, died in Jan. 1763. 10. Lady Margaret. His Lordship, on July 2, 1726, married to his second Lady, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir James Rushout, of Northwick, in the county of Worcester, Bart. and relict of Sir George Thorold, Bart. by whom he had no issue; and dying, April 15, 1727, was succeeded by

Earl
(5th E.) JAMES Lord Compton, his eldest son, who was born in May 1687; and on the 31st of December, 1711, was summoned to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord Compton. On the 3d of March 1716, he married Elizabeth, only daughter of Robert Visc. Tamworth, eldest son of Robert, and elder brother to Washington Earl

Earl Ferrers, and sister and heir to Robert Viscount Tamworth, and by her (who was Baroness Ferrers of Chartley, in right of descent from Sir Walter Devereux, who in the reign of King Henry VI. married Anne, sole daughter and heir to William Lord Ferrers of Chartley, in the county of Stafford, lineally descended from Robert de Ferrers, a great Baron, advanced to the Earldom of Derby, anno 1139, the 4th of King Stephen) had issue one son and three daughters, viz. George, styled Lord Compton, born July 6, 1723, who died 28th of Nov. 1739; the Lady Jane, who died in 1739, in the 17th year of her age, unmarried; Lady Anne, who also died unmarried, March 13, 1747, Lady Charlotte; also another son George, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Mary, who died infants. Her Ladyship died March 13, 1740, and the Lady Charlotte, the sole surviving daughter and heir of her mother, was Baroness FERRERS of Chartley, and was married in December 1751, to George the present Lord Viscount Townshend. His Lordship dying October 3, 1754, was succeeded by his brother

(6th E.) GEORGE, who married Frances, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Payne, but had no issue. His Lordship dying December 6, 1758, was succeeded by his nephew, and her Ladyship married 2dly Claudius Amyand, Esq. and is since deceased.

(7th E.) CHARLES, eldest son of his brother Charles, who in September 13, 1759, married Lady Anne Somerset, eldest daughter of Charles late Duke of Beaufort, by whom he had issue, Lady Elizabeth, born June 25, 1760, and the Countess her mother died at Naples, in May 1763, and the Earl deceasing 18th of October following, the titles descended to his brother

(8th E.) SPENCER, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament as Baron Compton of Compton in the county of Warwick, May 8, 1572, 14 Eliz. and created Earl of the town of Northampton, Aug. 2, 1618, 16 Jac. I.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a lion passant-guardant, *or*, between three helmets, *argent*. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath a mount, *vert*, and thereon a beacon, *or*, enflamed on the top, *proper*; about the same a label, inscribed *Nisi Dominus*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two dragons, with wings expanded, *ermine*, collared with ducal collars, and chains of *gold*.

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MOTTO.]

MOTTO.] *Je ne cherche que ung.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Castle-Ashby, in Northamptonshire; at Compton-Vinyates, in the county of Warwick.

FIELDING, EARL OF DENBIGH.

THE Right Hon BASIL FIELDING, Earl of DENBIGH, Viscount Fielding, Baron Fielding of Newnham-Paddox, and St. Liz; also Earl of Desmond, Viscount Callan, and Baron Fielding of Lecaghe in Ireland, was born Jan. 3, 1719, succeeded his father William, the late Earl, August 1, 1755; and married April 12, 1757, Maria, daughter to Sir John Bruce-Cotton, of Conington, in Huntingdonshire, Bart. by whom he has, 1. William-Robert, Visc. Fielding, born on the 15th of June, 1760. 2. Charles, born the 20th of December, 1761.

Of this family there have been persons of great note and eminency, for many ages; (they being paternally descended from the Earls of Hapsburgh, in Germany, Counts Palatine in the reign of King Henry the III^d.) amongst whom was

GEOFFREY Fielding, who attending the said King in his wars in England, obtained of him several rents and fees, as also the Manor of Misterton, in the county of Leicester, where he lived, and stiled himself Earl of Hapsburgh, and was succeeded by

GEOFFREY his son, who married Matilda or Maud de Coleville, and by her was father of another

GEOFFREY, who by Agnes, daughter to John de Napton, was father of

WILLIAM Fielding; and he marrying Johanna, daughter to William Prudholme, by Julian his wife, daughter of Robert de Newenham, became possessed of the Manor of Newnham-Paddox, now the seat of that Family; he had issue

Sir JOHN Fielding, Kt. who was so made for his services in the wars of France, in the reign of Edward the III^d. and marrying Margaret, daughter to William Purefoy, of Drayton, in the county of Warwick, by her had

Sir

Sir WILLIAM, his heir, who was killed at the battle of Tewkesbury, the 36th of that reign. He married Agnes, daughter and heir to John St. Liz, otherwise called de Seyton, and with her he had the Lordship of Martinsthorp, in Rutland; as also a descent in blood from those great families of Vaux, Longueville, and Bellers, (a younger branch of Mowbray) and by her had three sons, John,

Sir EVERARD, Edward, and a daughter Martina, of which the second succeeded him, and marrying Jellis Ruffel, had

Sir WILLIAM, his heir, who married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Thomas Pulteney, of Misterton, in the county of Leicester, Kt. and dying the 24th of Sept. 1547, left a son

BASIL, who by Judith his wife, daughter and coheir to William Willington, Esq. had a daughter Anne, married to Humphrey Peyto of Chesterton, in Warwickshire, Esq. and a son

Sir WILLIAM, who married Dorothy, daughter to Sir Ralph Lane, by Magdalen, daughter and coheir to William Lord Parr, uncle to Queen Katharine Parr, and by her had another

BASIL, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Walter Aston, by her had 1. Sir William; 2. Sir George, who died December 30, 1643, leaving by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Neale, a son Basil; 3. Edward, who lost his life in the civil wars; 4. Dorothy, married to Sir Henry Arden.

(1st E.) Sir WILLIAM, the eldest son, was made a Viscount and Earl, but on the 3d of April, 1643, in a skirmish near Birmingham, received a mortal wound, and died five days after. He married Susan, daughter to Sir George Villiers, and sister to George the Great Duke of Buckingham, and by her had two sons, of which Basil succeeded to the title of Earl of Denbigh; and George was created Baron of Lecaghe, Visc. Callan, and Earl of Desmond, in Ireland, and having also four daughters; Mary the eldest, married James the first Duke of Hamilton; Anne, to Baptist Noel, the second Viscount Campden; Elizabeth, (who on the 14th of July, 1660, was created Countess of Guilford during life) was married to Lewis Boyle, Viscount Kenelmeky, in Ireland, and Henrietta-Maria, who died young.

(2d E.) BASIL, who succeeded, was by reason, of his descent from Agnes, daughter and heir to John de St. Liz, alias Seyton, as above, (a branch of the most noble family of St. Liz, sometime Earls of Northampton and Huntingdon) created Lord St. Liz. He married 1st Anne, daughter to Richard Weston, Earl of Portland; to his 2d, Barbara, daughter to Sir John Lamb; to his 3d, Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Bouchier, Earl of Bath; and to his 4th, Dorothy, daughter to Francis Lane, Esq. but dying in Nov. 28, 1675, without issue, and she marrying to Sir John James, we return to his brother

GEORGE, who was created Earl of Desmond. He died on the 31st of January, 1665. He married Bridget, one of the daughters and coheirs to Sir Michael Stanhope, and had five sons, 1st. William; 2. George, who married a daughter of Sir John Lee; 3. Sir Charles; he married Ursula, daughter to Thomas Stockton, Esq. and widow of Sir William Aston, by whom he had two daughters, who died young, he died the 24th of April, 1722, and his Lady the 30th of October, 1720; 4. Basil; 5. John; and three daughters; Mary married Sir Charles Gawdy; Elizabeth, the 4th wife of Sir Edward Gage; and Bridget the youngest married to Sir Lawrence Parsons. And of the sons,

(3d E.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father in the Earldom of Desmond, also succeeded his uncle Basil in the Earldom of Denbigh. By his 2d wife Mary, daughter and coheir to Henry Carey, Earl of Monmouth, he had no issue; but by his 1st, Mary, relict of Sir William Meredith, and sister to John Lord Kingston in Ireland, he had two sons, and a daughter Mary, married to Evelyn Pierpoint, Duke of Kingston. And of the sons, which were Basil and William; the latter married the Lady Diana Newport, youngest daughter to Francis Earl of Bradford, and widow of Thomas Howard, of Ashted, in Surry, Esq. and died on the 21st of September, 1723; and

(4th E.) BASIL, on the 23d of August 1685, succeeded his father, and died March 18, 1717. He married Hester, daughter to Sir Basil Firebrace, and by her, who died on the 1st of Jan. 1726, had four sons and six daughters; which were the Ladies Mary, Bridget, Elizabeth, Hester, (who died on the 20th of February, 1720, aged 17) Diana, and Frances; the eldest on the 15th of April, 1729, was married

married to William Cockburn, M. D. and died October 1, 1732; and in December following, the youngest was married to Daniel Earl of Winchelsea, but died in September, 1734; the Lady Bridget married Colonel James Otway; Lady Elizabeth died in April, 1752. The sons were William, his heir; Basil, 2d, died an infant; Charles the 3d, married in September, 1737, Anne, one of the daughters and coheirs of Sir Thomas Palmer, and relict of Sir Brook Bridges, by whom he had issue three sons and two daughters, and died in February, 1745; George, the 4th, on the 6th of Nov. 1728, died at Gibraltar.

(5th E.) WILLIAM, the eldest, born the 26th of October, 1697, succeeded his father, as Earl of Denbigh, &c. and his Lordship marrying Isabella, daughter to Peter de Young, of Utrecht, in Holland, and Sister to the Marchioness of Blandford, by her had an only son,

(6th E.) BASIL, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Fielding, December 30, 1620, Earl of Denbigh, September 14, 1622, the Irish titles, November 22, 1622.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a fess, *azure*, three lozenges, *or*. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, an eagle with two heads displayed, *sable*, armed and membered, *or*, and charged on the breast with the above paternal coat.

SUPPORTERS.] Two bucks, *proper*, attired and unguled, *or* *

MOTTO.] *Crescit sub pondere virtus*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Newnham-Paddox, in Warwickshire; at Martinthorp, in the county of Rutland.



* This coat is sometimes borne without supporters, and is then charged on the breast of an eagle with two heads displayed, *sable*, ducally crowned, *or*, with an annulet of the *last* in each beak, and a cap *azure* turned up *ermine*, between the two heads: the crest then borne is a nut-hatch with an hazel branch fruited *proper*.

FANE, EARL OF WESTMORELAND.

THE Right Honourable JOHN FANE, Earl of WESTMORELAND, and Baron Burghersh, born the 1st of January, 1759, and succeeded his father on the 26th of April, 1774.

The families of Vane and Fane derived their descent from HOWEL ap Vane, of the county of Monmouth.

JOHN Vane from him descended, married Isabel, daughter to John Darell, Esq. and had four sons; 1. Henry, who left no issue; 2. Richard, of whom hereafter; 3. Thomas, from whom descended Thomas Fane, of Fairlawn, in Kent, Esq. who died in September 1692, unmarried; 4. John, ancestor of the Earl of Darlington and the Viscount Vane.

RICHARD, 2d son, married Agnes, daughter and heir of — Stidolph, of Stidolph, in the county of Surry, and had a son George, and a daughter Alice, married to John Brown, Esq. He was living in the 32d of Hen. VIII. and wrote his name Fane.

GEORGE, his son, married Joan, daughter and heir of William Waller, of Gombridge, in Kent, and had issue two sons of the name of Thomas, as appears by his father's will, and several daughters, whereof Mary married to John Ashburnham, Esq. Bridget, to Charles Bolles, Esq. and Catharine, to Walter Roberts, Esq. Of the sons, the younger, Thomas, married Helena, daughter of Sir Walter Hendley, widow of Sir George Somerset, second son of Charles, the first Earl of Worcester, by his second wife, and had issue Mary, his heir, married to Henry Fane, of Hadlow, in Kent, Esq. the elder

THOMAS was engaged in Wyatt's rebellion, and committed to the Tower the 1st of Queen Mary, but was pardoned the same year; he was knighted August 26, 1573, by Robert Earl of Leicester. He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Culpepper, by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Mary, daughter and sole heir to Henry Neville, the fourth Lord Abergavenny, by whom he had four sons, Sir Francis, Sir George, Thomas, and Edward, and a daughter Frances. Her Ladyship, as heir to her father, claimed the title of Baroness Abergavenny, against

against Edward Nevil her cousin, which being determined in favour of the heir male, his Majesty's patent, the same day, was read for the restitution of the Lady Mary Fane, to the Barony of Le Despenser, and that her heirs successively should enjoy the honour. Of the sons, Thomas the 3d, and Edward the 4th, died unmarried; Sir George the 2d, married Anne, daughter to Sir Oliver Boteler, of Teston, in Kent. Kt.

(1st E.) FRANCIS, the eldest son, on the 29th of December, 1624, was created Baron of Burghersh, and Earl of Westmoreland, and died on March 21, 1629. He married Mary, daughter and heir to Sir Anthony Mildmay of Apethorpe, in the county of Northampton, Kt. ancestor of the Earl Fitzwalter, and had seven sons and six daughters; 1. Grace, was married to James Earl of Hume, in Scotland; 2. Mary, to Dutton Lord Gerard of Bromley; 3. Elizabeth, first to Sir John Cope, of Hanwell, in the county of Oxford, Bart. and secondly, to William Cope, of Icome, in the county of Gloucester, Esq. 4. Rachel, first to Henry Bouchier Earl of Bath, and next to Lionel Cranfield, Earl of Middlesex; 5. Frances; 6. Catharine, both died unmarried. And of the sons, who were Mildmay, Thomas, Francis, ancestor of the present Earl, Anthony, Sir George, William, and Robert; the eldest and third were made Knights of the Bath, at the coronation of King Charles I. and from Sir Francis descended also Charles Visc. FANE, in Ireland, and Anthony married Amabella, daughter to Sir Anthony Benn, Kt. and died in 1643, and she became the second wife of Henry, the 11th Earl of Kent; Sir George, 5th son, married Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Lord Spencer, of Wormleighton; but she died without issue.

X (2d E.) MILD MAY, who succeeded his father, married to his first wife Grace, daughter to Thomas Howard, Visc. Bindon (younger son of Thomas, Duke of Norfolk) by his second wife, daughter to Sir William Lyte, and by her had a son Charles, and five daughters; and by his 2d, who was Mary, daughter to Horace Lord Vere, and widow of Sir Roger Townshend, of Raynham, in Norfolk, Bart. he had Sir Vere Fane, and four daughters, Mary, Rachel, Catharine, and Susan; the eldest was first married to Francis Palmes, son and heir to Sir Bryan Palmes, and afterwards to John Cecil, the fourth Earl of Exeter; Rachael, to Gregory Hesketh, D. D. and Catharine, to

Conyers D'Arcy, Earl of Holderness. Of the daughters, by Grace, his first wife, Frances, the 2d, was married to Sir Erasmus Harby, and Diana, the eldest, first to John Pelham, Esq. and secondly, to John Bill, Esq. and the said

(3d E.) CHARLES, the brother, on the 12th of February, 1665, succeeded his father. He married first Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Charles Nodes, Esq. and secondly, Dorothy, daughter to Robert, the 2d Earl of Cardigan, who married secondly, Robert Constable, Viscount Dunbar in Scotland; but dying in September 1691, without issue, Sir

(4th E.) VERE, his half brother, became heir. He died on December 29, 1693, having married Rachel, only daughter and heir to John Bence, and by her, who died February 6, 1711, had four sons and three daughters; 1. Mary, married to Sir Francis Dashwood, of West-Wycombe, Bucks, Bart. and a daughter Rachael, married to Sir Robert Auston, of Bexley, in Kent, Bart. 2. Catharine, to William Paul, of Braywick, in Berks, Esq. and died the 25th of September 1737, leaving an only daughter Catharine, married to Sir William Stapleton, Bart. 3. Susan, who died unmarried March 11, 1735. Of the sons, which were Vere, Thomas, John, and Mildmay; the latter was seated at Mereworth-Castle, in the county of Kent, and died on the 12th of September 1715; John, on the 7th of July, 1733, was created Baron of Catherlough in Ireland.

(5th E.) VERE, the eldest, succeeded his father, and died on the 19th of May, 1699, unmarried.

(6th E.) THOMAS, his next brother, became heir, and taking to wife Catharine, daughter and heir to Charles Strynger, of Charlton, in the county of York, Esq. and widow of Richard Beaumont, of Whitby, in the said county, Esq. by her, who died on the 4th of Feb. 1730, had no issue; and dying 1736, was succeeded by his only brother

(7th E.) JOHN, who married Mary, only daughter of Lord Henry Cavendish, and died the 26th of August, 1762, without issue. We must therefore return to Sir Francis Fane, third son of the first Earl of Westmoreland, who married Elizabeth, daughter of William West, Esq. relict of John Lord D'Arcy; she died in 1649, leaving four sons and six daughters; Frances, the eldest, married Hannah,

nah, daughter of John Rushworth, Esq. and had surviving issue three sons, of whom, Francis married a daughter of Henry Heron, Esq. and was the father of Francis Fane, of Fulbeck, Esq. who died without issue in 1758. Henry the 2d son, of Sir Francis Fane, above-mentioned, married Anne, sister of John Scrope, of Wormsley, in Oxfordshire, Esq. and dying in 1726, left three sons and one daughter, 1. Francis, who died May 28, 1757. 2. Thomas, who succeeded to the title in August 1762. 3. Henry, who died May 31, 1777, having married first Charlotte, daughter of Nicholas Rowe, Esq. by whom he had Charlotte, married to William St. Quintin, Esq. and died in 1762, he married, secondly, Anne, daughter of Dr. Wynn, Bishop of Bath and Wells, by whom he had a daughter Mary, married to Sir Thomas Stapylton, Bart. he married, thirdly, Charlotte, daughter of Richard Luther, of Myles's, in Essex, by whom he had two sons, John, married to Lady Elizabeth, daughter of the Earl of Macclesfield, and Francis. 4. Mary, married, first, to John Henley, Esq. and secondly, to Dr. Creswicke, late Dean of Wells. And upon the death of John, the 7th Earl, without issue, the honours devolved upon the said

(8th E.) THOMAS, who succeeded, as being descended from Sir Francis Fane, third son of the first Earl, as above-shewn; he married Anne, daughter of William Swymmer, Esq. and had two sons and two daughters, 1. John, who succeeded him; and 2. Henry; 3. Lady Anne, who died 1764; and 4. Lady Mary, the wife of Charles Blair, Esq. and deceasing in December 1771, was succeeded by his son

(9th E.) JOHN, who married in March, 1758, Augusta, daughter of Lord Montagu Bertie, by whom he had two sons and a daughter, John the present Earl, Thomas, and Lady Augusta; he married, 2dly, in July, 1767, Lady Susan, sister to the Duke of Gordon, by whom he left three daughters, Ladies Susan, Elizabeth, and Mary, and deceasing on the 26th of April, 1774, was succeeded by his son

(10th E.) JOHN, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Burghersh, and Earl of the county of Westmoreland, December 29, 1624, 22 Jac. I.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three right-hand gauntlets, with their backs forward, *or*. [*Plate VIII.*]

CREST.

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*; a bull's head, *argent*; pyed, *sable*; armed, *or*; and charged on the neck with a rose, *gules*, barbed and seeded, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *parté per fess argent* and *or*; his beak, fore-legs, and chain of the *second*, his collar, *sable*. On the sinister, a bull, *argent*; pyed, *sable*; armed, collared, chained, and hoofed, *or*; on the collar a rose, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Ne vile Fano.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Apethorp, in Northamptonshire; Brimpton, in Somerset.

MORDAUNT, EARL OF PETERBOROUGH AND MONMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES MORDAUNT, Earl of PETERBOROUGH and MONMOUTH, Viscount Mordaunt of Avalon, Baron Mordaunt of Turvey, and Baron Mordaunt of Ryegate, succeeded his grandfather Charles, the late Earl, in 1735; and married Mary, daughter of Thomas Cox, Esq. of London, by which Lady, who died in November 1756, he had issue two daughters: 1. Lady Frances, born in April, 1736; and 2. Lady Mary. His Lordship married, secondly, Robiniana, daughter of Colonel Brown, by whom he has a son, Charles Henry Lord Mordaunt, born May 16, 1758.

OSBERT le Mordaunt, a Norman Knight, was possessed of Radwall, in Bedfordshire, by the gift of his brother, which he had of William the Conqueror for his services at the Conquest. He had issue OSMUND and Baldain; to the former succeeded EUSTACH, who by marriage with Alice, eldest daughter and coheir of William de Alneto, *vulg.* Daune, became possessed of the Lordship of Turvey in Bedfordshire. WILLIAM, his son, was succeeded by another WILLIAM, his son, who had issue by Rose, daughter of Sir Ralph Wake, ROBERT, his heir, who married Joan, daughter of Thomas Frowick, and had issue EDMUND, who married Helen, daughter and coheir of Ralph Brook; from whose other daughter and coheir Agnes, the present Duke of Montagu

is descended. He had issue ROBERT, who by Agnes, daughter of John Strange, had a son ROBERT; he married Elizabeth, daughter of John Holdenby, Esq. by whom he had a son WILLIAM, who married Margaret, daughter of John Pecke, by whom he had John and William, and a daughter Joan, married to Giles Strangers, of Dorset, Esq. William, the younger brother, married Anne, daughter of Thomas Huntingdon, by whom he had four sons, Robert, Christopher, Edmund, and George. Robert, the eldest, by marriage with Barbara, daughter and heir of John L'Estrange, of Messingham, in Norfolk, Esq. by Anne, his wife, daughter and coheir of Thomas L'Estrange, of Walton, in Warwickshire, Esq. became possessed of both those estates; from whom descended L'Estrange Mordaunt, Esq. created a Baronet the 29th of June, 1611; whose lineal heir is Sir Charles Mordaunt, Bart.

(1st L.) JOHN, the eldest brother, was seated at Turvey, in the county of Bedford, and had summons to Parliament among the Peers; and marrying Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Henry de Vere, Lord of Drayton and Addington, in the county of Northampton, by her had John his heir, William and George; and six daughters, of which, Dorothy, married Thomas Moore, Esq. another married William Aclam, Esq. and a third to Edward Fairfax.

(2d L.) JOHN, who succeeded, married Ellen, cousin and heir to Sir Richard Fitz-Lewis, of West-Thornton, in Essex, and by her had

(3d L.) LEWIS, his heir, who died June 16, 1601. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Arthur D'Arcy, Kt. by whom he had

(4th L.) HENRY Lord Mordaunt, who was suspected to have some knowledge of the Powder-plot, and was fined in the Star-chamber, and released June 3, 1606. He married Margaret, daughter to Henry the 1st Lord Compton, and by her he had

(1st E.) JOHN, his heir, who in the 3d of Charles I. was created Earl of Peterborough. He married Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to William Lord Howard, of Effingham, son and heir of Charles Earl of Nottingham, and had two sons, Henry, his heir, and John; and a daughter Elizabeth, who married Thomas, the 2d Lord Howard, of Escrick.

(2d E.)

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 (2d E.) HENRY, who on the 18th of June, 1642, succeeded, married Penelope, daughter to Barnaby O'Brien, the 6th Earl of Thomond in Ireland, by whom he had a daughter Mary, who was first married to Henry Howard, 7th Duke of Norfolk; and 2dly, to Sir John Germaine, Bart. and died in 1705; and her father dying on the 19th of June 1697, without issue male, we come now to

George
 JOHN, his brother, who was in the 11th of Char. II. created Lord Mordaunt of Ryegate, and Visc. Avalon, and died the 5th of June 1675. He married Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to Thomas Carey, 2d son to Robert Earl of Monmouth, and by her had seven sons and four daughters; Charlotte, Carey, Sophia, and Anne, whereof Carey died unmarried; Sophia, married to James Hamilton, of Bangor, in Ireland. Of the sons, five lived to maturity, which were Charles, Harry, Lewis, Osmond, and George; the latter, a clergyman, married 1st Catharine, 4th daughter and coheir to Sir Thomas Spencer, of Yarnton in the county of Oxford, Bart. and widow of John Dormer Esq. who dying in 1714, left him no issue; 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John D'Oyley, who dying Mar. 20, 1720, left a daughter Anna-Maria, married to the Rev. Dr. Shipley. His 3d wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel Collier, by whom he had two daughters, Mary, married to Valentine Morris, of Piercefield, in Monmouthshire, Esq. and Elizabeth, married to Sir William Milner. Osmond was killed at the Battle of the Boyne, in Ireland; Lewis, 3d son, was a Brigadier-General in the Army, but died the 2d of Feb. 1713: he married 1st Anne, daughter of — Martin, and had Charles his heir, who married 1st Charlotte, daughter of Thomas Manwaring, Esq. (widow of Charles Lord Mohun, who was killed in a duel with the Duke of Hamilton) by Charlotte, daughter of Charles Gerard, Earl of Macclesfield, by whom he had no issue; and 2dly, Anne, 3d daughter to Scrope, the first Visc. Howe, by whom he had three sons, Charles, Osbert, and Harry. Lewis Mordaunt married, 2dly, Mary, daughter of Colonel Collier, and by her, who died April 17, 1740, had two daughters, Anna-Maria and Sophia; the eldest married Stephen Poyntz, Esq. who died December 17, 1750, leaving several children, of whom Georgiana, eldest daughter, married December 27, 1755, John Spencer, now Earl Spencer; Sophia, sister to Mrs. Poyntz, married Sir Roger Martin, Bart. Harry married first a natural daughter

daughter of Thomas Spencer, Esq. by whom he had, 1st, Sir John Mordaunt, Knt. of the Bath. Harry his father had also two daughters, Elizabeth-Lucy, married to Sir Wilfred Lawson, Bart. and Margaret; and the said Harry married, 2dly, Penelope, only child of William Tipping, of Ewelme, Esq. by whom he had an only daughter Penelope, married to Monoux Cope, Esq. eldest son of Sir John Cope, Bart. and he died on the 4th of January, 1720.

(3d E.) CHARLES, the eldest, who on the 9th of April, 1689, 1 W. and M. was created Earl of Monmouth, succeeded his uncle Henry in the Earldom of Peterborough. He served in his youth, during the war with the Algerines, under the Admirals Torrington and Narborough. In 1705, he was declared General and Commander in chief of the forces sent to Spain, and Joint-Admiral of the fleet with Sir Cloudesly Shovel, and took Barcelona, and drove the Duke of Anjou and French army out of Spain, which consisted of 25000 men, though his own troops never amounted to 10000. He married 1st Carey, daughter to Sir Alexander Frazer, and by her, who died on the 13th of May, 1709, had two sons, John and Henry, and a daughter Henrietta, married to Alexander, Duke of Gordon, in Scotland. Of the sons, Henry, the youngest, was a Commander in the Navy, but died unmarried, Feb. 24, 1710; but *a beautiful son and a good one 1698*

JOHN, his brother, who took early to arms, and at the Battle of Hochstette, lost his left arm. He died the 6th of April 1710, leaving issue by the Lady Frances, daughter to Charles, Duke of Bolton, two sons, Charles and John, who in October, 1735, married Mary, sister to Scroop, Visc. Howe, of Ireland, and widow and relict of Thomas, late Earl of Pembroke; she died September 12, 1749. [In 1735, the late Earl married, 2dly, Mrs. Anastasia Robinson, and died at Lisbon, the 25th of October, 1735, aged 77, and was succeeded by his grandson]

(4th E.) CHARLES, the present Earl *Son of John 1st Son of Chas. 3rd*

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament as Baron Mordaunt, of Turvey, in the county of Bedford, May 4, 1532, 24 Henry VIII. and created Earl of Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, March 9, 1627, 3 Car. I. Baron Mordaunt, of Ryegate, in the county Surry, and Viscount Avalon, in the county of Somerset, July 10, 1659,

1659, 11 Car. II. and Earl of the county of Monmouth, April 9, 1689, 1 W. and M.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron between three estoils, *sable*. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] In the Earl's coronet, *or*, the bust of a Moorish prince, habited in a cloth of gold, all *proper*; and wreathed about the temples, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles, *argent*, armed and membered, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Nec placida contenta quiescit.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Parson's Green, in the county of Middlesex; Dantzy, in Wiltshire.

GREY, EARL OF STAMFORD.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE HARRY GREY Earl of STAMFORD, Baron Grey of Groby, Bonville, and Harrington, born October 1, 1737, succeeded his father, the late Earl, June 24, 1768. He married May 20, 1763, Lady Henrietta Cavendish Bentinck, sister to the Duke of Portland, by whom he has issue, 1. George-Harry, Lord Grey, born Aug. 31, 1765. 2. Lady Henrietta, born April 19, 1764. 3. Lady Maria. 4. Lady Louisa. 5. William. 6. Booth. 7. Anchitell.

The pedigree of this family is set forth under the title of Marchioness Grey, and that

REGINALD, the grandfather of Edmund, the first Earl of Kent, marrying to his second wife Joan, daughter and heir to William Lord Astley, had with her a large estate in Warwickshire, and by her had a son

EDWARD; who, marrying Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to Henry, son of William Lord Ferrers, of Groby, became heir to the said Lord Ferrers; and in the 27th of Hen. VI. was summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Ferrers, of Groby; but in the first of James I. the family was honoured with the title of Lord Grey, of Groby, as above. They had three sons, and a daughter Anne, married to Sir Edward Hungerford, Kt. Of the sons, which were John, Edward, and Reginald; the latter was slain in the Battle of Wakefield: Edward having married Elizabeth, eldest of the two sisters of Thomas Talbot,

Vise.

Visc. Lisle, was in the 15th of Edw. IV. created Baron Lisle, and in the 1st of Richard the III. Visc. Lisle, and had issue John, his heir, and three daughters; Anne, married to Sir John Willoughby, Knt. Elizabeth, first to Edmund Dudley, and after to Arthur Plantagenet, natural son of King Edward IV. and Muriel, to Henry Stafford, Earl of Wiltshire; and John her brother, marrying Muriel, daughter to Thomas Howard, Duke of Norfolk, by her left a daughter Elizabeth, who married to her first husband Henry Courtenay, Earl of Devon; and 2dly to Sir Thomas Knevet, Knt.

Sir JOHN, the eldest son of Edward and Elizabeth Ferrers, being slain in the Battle of St. Alban's, left issue by Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Richard Woodville, Earl Rivers, two sons, Sir Thomas and Sir Richard; the latter was beheaded at Pomfret, and

Sir THOMAS, who was Knight of the Garter, was on the 12th of August, 1472, the 12th of Edward the IV. (in respect to his mother, whom that King had married) created Earl of Huntingdon; and on the 18th of April, in the 15th of that Reign, Lord Harrington and Bonville, and Marquis of Dorset; but after the said King's death, because of his near relation of the young King Edward V. he was attainted of high-treason, but found means to make his escape into Britany, with divers other persons of note, to the aid of Henry Earl of Richmond. When that Earl obtained the crown, by the name of King Henry VII. he was sent for to England, (having been left in pledge with John Pourchier at Paris, for certain monies borrowed there) and, on his return, restored to his honours. He died the 18th of November, 1503, having married first Anne, only daughter to Henry Holland, Duke of Exeter, and by her had no issue; but by his second wife, Cecily, daughter and heir to Sir William Bonville Lord Harrington, he had seven sons; Edward and Anthony died young; Thomas his heir; Richard, John, Leonard, and George, a clergyman; and seven daughters; Dorothy, married first to Robert Lord Willoughby of Brook; and 2dly, to William Blount Lord Montjoy; Eleanor, to Sir John Arundel of Langherne, in Cornwall; Elizabeth, to Gerald Fitz-Gerald the 10th Earl of Kildare, in Ireland; Mary, to Walter Devereux, the first Visc. Hereford; Margaret, to Richard Wake; Bridget died young; and Anne, married Sir Richard Clement.

THOMAS,

2^d *Marg.* THOMAS, who was Knight of the Garter, succeeded his father in his honours, and having no issue by his first wife, Eleanor, daughter to Oliver St. John; he took to his 2d Margaret daughter to Sir Robert Wotton, and by her had five sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Thomas Lord Audley of Walden; and Anne, to Henry Willoughby, Esq. And of the sons, which were Henry, his heir, John Grey, of Pergo in Essex, Esq. of whom hereafter; Edward, Thomas, and Leonard; the latter had divers articles of treason exhibited against him, and in the 31st of Henry VIII. lost his head on Tower-hill:

3^d *Marg.* Henry, who succeeded his father, married Frances, eldest daughter and coheir to Charles Brandon Duke of Suffolk, by Mary the French Queen, his wife, sister to King Hen. VIII. he, in favour to her, on the 11th of October 1551, the 5th of Edward VI. was created Duke of Suffolk. By the said Lady he had three daughters, of which, Jane the eldest, having married Guilford Dudley, 4th son to John Duke of Northumberland, her father, upon the death of King Edward VI. was allured to countenance the proclaiming his daughter to be Queen, on pretence of King Edward leaving her the crown by his will; but Queen Mary, that King's sister, (before the said Jane was crowned) soon deposed her from her royalty, turned her palace (which was then the Tower) into her prison, and caused her to be beheaded on Tower-hill, Feb. 12, 1555; and to shew her utmost resentment upon her family, stripped her father of his honours; and having attainted him, he, on the 23d of February, the same year, was beheaded also. Catharine the 2d daughter, was first married to Henry Lord Herbert, eldest son to William Earl of Pembroke, from whom she was divorced, and married to Edward Seymour Earl of Hertford; but that marriage being without the licence of Queen Elizabeth, she imprisoned them in the Tower, and fined the Earl 15000l. as also severely forbade him her company; but by bribing his keeper, he begat a son Edward, who was ancestor to the late Duke of Somerset; but his Lady died in her prison, Jan. 26, 1567, where she had been nine years. Mary, third daughter, married Martyn Keyes, Esq. Serjeant-porter to Queen Elizabeth, and died without issue the 20th of April, 1578.

JOHN Grey of Pergo in Essex, Esq. 2d son of Sir Thomas married Mary, daughter of Sir Anthony Brown, Knt. of

of the Garter, and sister to Anthony the 1st Viscount Montagu, and had a daughter Mary, married to Sir Arthur Capel, and a son

(1st L.) Sir HENRY Grey of Pergo, created Baron Grey of Groby, by King James I. He married Anne, daughter to William the 2d Lord Windsor, and had two sons, John and Ambrose; and died in 1614.

(2d L.) JOHN, the eldest son succeeding, married Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Nevil Lord Abergavenny; and by her, who married 2dly, Sir John Bingley, Knt. had Henry his heir, and Philip, who died in his father's life-time.

(1st E.) HENRY the eldest, in the 3d of Charles I. was created Earl of Stamford. This Earl married the Lady Anne Cecil, youngest daughter and coheir to William the 2d Earl of Exeter, and had four sons; 1. Thomas his heir apparent; 2. Anchtel, who married Anne, daughter and heir to Sir Henry Willoughby, of Risley, in Derbyshire, Bart. widow of Sir Thomas Aston, Bart. 3. John, from whom the present Earl is descended, married x Jane, daughter of Simon Harcourt, Esq. and 4. Leonard; and five daughters; Elizabeth married to George Booth Lord Delamere; Diana to Robert Bruce Earl of Aylesbury; Jane to — Ogle, Esq. Anne and Mary, who died unmarried.

THOMAS the eldest son, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Dorothy, 2d daughter and coheir to Edward Bouchier, the 4th Earl of Bath,

(2d E.) THOMAS, who on the 21st of August, 1673, succeeded his grandfather; and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Henry Benson, Esq. and Anne to James Grove, Serjeant at Law. He married, 1st, a daughter of — Harvey of Comb in Surry, Esq. 2dly, Mary, 2d daughter and coheir to Joseph Maynard, of Gunnersbury, in Middlesex, Esq. but dying on the 31st of Jan. 1720; aged 67, without surviving issue, his titles and part of his estate descended to

(3d E.) HARRY, grandson to John 3d son of Henry x the 1st Earl of Stamford, who marrying Dorothy, daughter to Sir Nathan Wright, by her, who died on the 12th of August, 1738, had two sons, and five daughters, viz. Harry Lord Grey, and John Grey, Esq. who married in June 1748, Lucy, daughter of Sir Joseph Danvers, Bart. The daughters were Dorothy, Catharine, married 1st
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Mlynheer John Tryp, who died in June, 1738; and 2dly
 * o Vanden Bempden, a Burgo-Master of Amsterdam;
 Diana married in September, 1736, to George Middleton,
 Esq. Anne married in October, 1744, to Sir Richard
 Aston, of Aldenham, in Salop, Bart. and Jane married
 in June, 1738, to George Drummond, Esq. Secretary to
 the Order of the Thistle, and died in June, 1752. His
 Lordship dying in November 1739, was succeeded by

(4th E.) HARRY his eldest son, who, in May, 1736,
 married the Lady Mary, only daughter of George Booth,
 Earl of Warrington, by whom he hath had issue, first,
 George-Harry, the present Earl, born October 1, 1737;
 2. Lady Mary, born April 17, 1739, married to George
 West, son of the late Earl Delawar; 3. Booth, born Aug.
 15, 1740; 4. Lady Anne, born Jan. 23, 1742, died in
 June, 1743; 5. John, born May 23, 1743, and his Lord-
 ship deceasing on the 24th of June, 1768, was succeeded
 by his son

(5th E.) GEORGE-HARRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Grey, July 21, 1603, and Earl
 of Stamford, March 26, 1628.

ARMS.] Barry of six, *argent* and *azura*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, an unicorn erect, *ermine*, armed,
 crested, and hooped, *or*, having a full sun behind it,
proper.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *ermine*, armed, crested,
 and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *A ma puissance*.

CHIEF SEATS.] Enville-Hall, in Staffordshire; Brag-
 date-Hall, in the county of Leicester; Dunham-Massy, in
 Cheshire.

FINCH, EARL OF WINCHELSEA AND NOTTINGHAM.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE FINCH, Earl of
 Winchelsea and Nottingham, Viscount Maidstone,
 Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eastwell, Lord Finch of Daventry,
 Lord of the Royal Manor of Wye in Kent, was born Nov-
 4, 1751, and succeeded his uncle the late Earl, on the 2d
 of Aug. 1769.

This

This noble family, according to Sir William Dugdale and others, is derived from HENRY Fitz-Herbert, Chamberlain to King Henry I. ancestor to the Earls of Pembroke and Powis; and first took the name of Finch in the Reign of King Edward I. The first of the family who settled in Kent, was

HENRY Finch, who married Alice, daughter and heir of Philip Belknap of the Moat, near Canterbury. He died in 1493, leaving three sons, Sir William, Henry, and Philip.

Sir WILLIAM his heir, married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir James Crowmer, widow of Sir Richard Lovelace, by whom he had, 1st, LAURENCE, who married Mary, only daughter and heir of Christopher Kemp, and died without issue. 2dly, Sir Thomas, heir to his brother. 3dly, Richard, who married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Edmund Walsingham, but died without issue. Sir William married 2dly, Catharine, daughter of Sir John Gainsford, by whom he had 1st, Erasmus, who married Marian, daughter of John Summers, and widow of Thomas Rolfe, and died without issue. 2dly, Vincent who married the daughter of ——— Ferrers, of Gloucestershire. He had also three daughters, 1st, Eleanor, married first Robert Morton; and secondly Thomas Wotton, by whom she had issue Sir Henry Wotton, Ambassador to Venice; 2dly, Mary, married ——— Whitney, Esq. and 3dly, Elizabeth married to Thomas Thwaytes, Esq.

Sir THOMAS, after the death of his brother Laurence, succeeded to the estate. In the 6th of Elizabeth he was made Knt. Marshal of the forces in Newhaven, then besieged by the French, and was shipwreck'd in his voyage thither. He married Catharine, eldest of the two daughters and coheirs of Sir Thomas Moyle, and by her, who married 2dly to Nicholas St. Legar, Esq. had issue, 1st, Sir Moyle Finch; 2dly, Sir Henry Finch, who married the daughter of Mr. Wilkins, and being a great Lawyer, was Speaker of the House of Commons, and the Queen's Attorney-General, and afterwards made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal, and created Baron Finch of Fordwich; but dying without issue, that title became extinct; 3dly, Thomas Finch, who married Ursula, daughter to William Thwaytes, Esq. by Anne, sister to Edward Brabazon Lord Ardee, ancestor to the Earl of West-Meath, and had

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a son

Handwritten notes:
 Sir Henry Finch, Esq. at Law. 1612 - his son
 Sir Thomas Finch, Esq. at Law 1634
 Sir C. Finch, Esq. at Law 1635
 Sir Thomas Finch, Esq. at Law 1639 - Sir C. Finch of Fordwich 1640

a son John, who died without issue; and a daughter Jane, married to George, son of Sir Thomas Wyat.

in consideration that his death happened when it was in contemplation to raise him to higher
 Sir MOYLE was by King James I. raised to the degree of a Baronet; and his widow,

(1st C. of W.) ELIZABETH, sole daughter to Sir Thomas Heneage, was by the said King James, advanced to the dignity of Viscountess of Maidstone, with limitation of that honour to the heirs male of her body; and on the 12th of July, 1628, 4 Car. I. she was created Countess of Winchelsea, with the like limitation, and died on the 13th of March, 1634. She was descended from the ancient family of the Heneages of Hainton, in the county of Lincoln, where they flourished from the reign of King Henry III. and were enriched by marriage with the daughters and heirs of Preston and Buckton, whose arms the Earl quarters. By the said Sir Moyle she had seven sons and four daughters; Anne married to Sir William Twisden; Catharine to Sir John Wentworth, and two others who died young. And of the sons, which were Theophilus,² Thomas,³ John,⁴ Sir Heneage, Francis, William, and Robert; the two latter died young, and the 5th married Anne, daughter to Michael Barker, Esq. and had issue John, Elizabeth, Heneage, William, and Robert. The 4th was ancestor of the Earls of Nottingham, and the present Earl of Winchelsea. John the 3d son married Anne, daughter to — Walker, and had two sons, John, and William; and Theophilus the eldest marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Christopher Heydon, and dying in his father's life-time without issue,

Cecily
 (1st E. of W.) Sir THOMAS the 2d son, his next brother, who was Knt. and Bart. became Visc. Maidstone and Earl of Winchelsea, as heir and successor to his Mother. He married Cecily, sister to Sir John Wentworth, above mentioned; and dying November 4, 1639, left three sons, Heneage, John, and William; and five daughters; whereof Frances was married to Sir William Strickland; Anne to Sir William Waller; Cecily to Sir Erasmus Philips; Diana to Nicholas Took, Esq. and Catharine to Ambrose Moore, Esq.

Diana
 (2d E. of W.) HENEAGE the eldest son succeeded his father; and by Charles the 1st. he was on the 29th of July, 1660, created Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eastwell, and died in 1689. He married first Diana, daughter to Francis the 4th Lord Willoughby of Parham, by whom he

he had no issue that survived him; but by his 2d, the Lady Mary Seymour, 2d daughter to William the 2d Duke of Somerset, he had seven sons; 1. William Lord Maidstone; 2. Heneage; 3. Thomas; 4. Charles; 5. Leopold, D. D. Warden of All-Souls College, Oxford; 6. Lashley; 7. Henry; of which the last six died without issue; and four daughters; by his third wife Catharine, daughter to Sir Thomas Norcliffe, Knt. widow first of Christopher Lister, Esq. and secondly of Sir John Wentworth; he had two daughters, who died unmarried; and by his 4th, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir of John Ayres, of London, Esq. he had a son John, who succeeded to the title of Earl of Winchelsea. Of the daughters by the second wife, the Lady Frances married Thomas Thynne, Viscount Weymouth, and Elizabeth, Mary, and Jane, died unmarried. *He had by his 2 Wives 27 Children, of whom 16 were christened and lived to some maturity*

WILLIAM Viscount Maidstone, the eldest brother, being slain in the great sea-fight against the Dutch, May 28, 1672, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Windham, Esq. a daughter, Mariamne, who was married to Philip Herbert, Esq. and his Lady being then with child of a son, born the 26th of September following, was named

(3d E. of W.) CHARLES, who succeeded his grandfather. He married Sarah, daughter of Henry Nourse, Esq. but dying on the 14th of August, 1712, without issue,

(4th E. of W.) HENEAGE, *uncle of the last Earl* his father's brother became heir. He married Anne, daughter to Sir William Kingmill; but she dying in 1720, and his Lordship on the 30th of September, 1726, without issue, in the 70th year of his age, was succeeded by

(5th E. of W.) JOHN, his youngest (half) brother, who was born February 14, 1684; but he dying on the 9th of September, 1729, without issue also, we return to

Sir HENEAGE Finch, 4th son of Sir Moyle, by Elizabeth his wife, Countess of Winchelsea; which Sir Heneage, in 1625, 1 Car. I. was Recorder of London and Speaker of the House of Commons; he resided at Kensington-House, now the Royal Palace, which was purchased by King William of the late Earl of Nottingham. He married Frances, daughter of Sir Edmund Bell, by whom he had ~~two~~ ^{three} sons; 1. Heneage his heir; 2. Sir John Finch, Doctor of Physic, who died about the year 1682; and three daughters; Frances married to Sir Clifford Clifton,

^{N 3} 3^d Edw^d Finch, Vicar of Christ-church in Lond: who died 1. Feb: 1642 ^{Bart.} *perhaps he was of the Finch family?*

Bart. Anne to Edward Visc. Conway; and Elizabeth to Edward Maddison, Esq. Sir Heneage had also another wife, Elizabeth, daughter of William Cradock, Esq. widow of Richard Bennet, Esq.

(1st E. of N.) HENEAGE, the eldest son, was in 1673, Keeper of the Great Seal, and created Baron Finch of Daventry, and afterwards Lord High Chancellor of England; on the 12th of May, 1681, he was created Earl of Nottingham, and died on the 18th of December, 1682, *aged 61.* He had issue by Elizabeth, daughter to William Harvey, *Merchant in London*, ten sons and four daughters; of which, Elizabeth married Samuel, son and heir of Sir Harbottle Grimston; and Mary died February 10, 1735; another Mary and Anne died before their Father; the sons were, 1. Daniel; 2. Heneage, who was created Earl of AILESFORD; 3. William, who married a daughter of Sir William Hakeins, Bart. died Feb. 26, 1726; 4. Charles died unmarried; 5. Edward. Prebend of Canterbury; 6. Henry, Dean of York, died September 8, 1728; 7. Robert died unmarried; also Edward, John, and Thomas, who died in their father's life-time.

1682 (6th E. of W. 2d of N.) DANIEL, the eldest, succeeding his father, and on the 9th of September 1729, succeeded to the title of Earl of Winchelsea, Visc. Maidstone, &c. in the room of John Earl of Winchelsea, who then died unmarried. He married 1st the Lady Essex Rich, 2d daughter and coheir to Robert the 3d Earl of Warwick, by whom he had an only daughter Lady Mary, who was first married to William Savile Marquis of Halifax (by whom she had two daughters; Dorothy married to the late Earl of Burlington and Cork; and Mary to Sackville the 7th Earl of Thanet;) she married 2dly to John Kerr 1. Duke of Roxburgh in Scotland, and died Sept. 19, 1718. *Ann* By his 2d wife, who was Anne, only daughter to Christopher Visc. Hatton, (by Cecilia his first wife, daughter to John Tufton the 2d Earl of Thanet) he had, 1. Heneage, died young. 2. Daniel, the late Earl. 3. William, who married the Lady Anne Douglas, sister to Charles the present Duke of Queensbury; which Lady dying in the year 1741, without issue, he married his 2d wife, the Lady Charlotte, daughter to Thomas Earl of Pomfret, in August 1746, by whom he had issue, George, the present Earl; Charlotte, married Feb. 29, 1772, to Charles Fielding, Esq.

Esq. Frances, Sophia, Henrietta. And he died Dec. 25, 1766. 4. John, died Feb. 12, 1763. 5. Henry, died in May, 1761. 6. Edward, who has taken the name of Hatton, pursuant to the will of his aunt Anne, youngest daughter of Visc. Hatton. He married, in 1746, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Palmer, sister to the late Countess of Winchelsea; and by her has issue, George, John, Anne, Henrietta, Maria. 7. Charles, died young. 8. Lady Essex, married, on July 20, 1703, to Sir Roger Mostyn, in the county of Flint, Bart. and died May 23, 1721. 9. Lady Charlotte, married, Feb. 4, 1726, to his Grace, Charles Seymour, late Duke of Somerset. 10. Lady Anne, who died young. 11. Lady Elizabeth, died young. 12. Lady Isabella. 13. Lady Mary, married on September 22, 1716, to Thomas Watson-Wentworth, late Marquis of Rockingham, died in May, 1761. 14. Lady Henrietta, married to his Grace William Fitzroy, Duke of Cleveland, leaving no issue. 15. Lady Elizabeth, who in Sept. 1738, was married to the Hon. William Murray, now Earl of Mansfield. 16. Lady Frances; and, 17. Lady Margaret; both died unmarried.

(7th E. of W. 3d E. of N.) DANIEL, on the 1st of Jan. 1730, succeeded his father. In December 1729, his Lordship married the Lady Frances Fielding, sister to William Earl of Denbigh, by whom he had one daughter Lady Charlotte, and the Countess died in September, 1734. He married the 19th of January, 1738, 2dly, Mary one of the daughters and coheirs of Sir Thomas Palmer, of Wingham, in Kent, Bart. by whom he had issue, 1. Lady Heneage, born in December 1742; 2. Lady Essex, born January 1, 1746; 3. Lady Hatton, born Feb. 23, 1747; 4. Lady Augusta, born in Feb. 1751; and four other daughters, that died young. And his Lordship deceasing August 2, 1769, was succeeded by his nephew.

(8th E. of W. 4th E. of N.) GEORGE, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Viscount Maidstone, July 8, 1623, 21 Jac. I. Earl of Winchelsea, July 12, 1628, 4 Car. I. Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eastwell, in the county of Kent, June 26, 1660, 12 Car. II. Baron Finch of Daventry, Jan. 10, 1673, 25 Car. II. and Earl of the county of Nottingham, May 12, 1681, 33 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron between three gryphons passant, segreant, *sable*.

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CREST.]

in the Brit. Museum No 4221 - the Earl married Miss Younger an heiress in 1738 - was killed in a fit of jealousy by Lady in 1723 - but recovered of the wound

CREST.] On a wreath a gryphon passant, segreant, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, *or*, collared ducally, *gules*. On the left a gryphon, *sable*, alike collared, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Nil conscire sibi*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Burleigh, in Rutlandshire; at Roundstone, in Buckinghamshire; at Eastwell, in Kent.

STANHOPE, EARL OF CHESTERFIELD.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP STANHOPE, Earl of CHESTERFIELD, Baron Stanhope of Shelford, was born November 10, 1755, succeeded to these honours on the death of Philip Dormer, the late Earl, March 24, 1773.^x

This Family, which took its name from the town of Stanhope, in the Bishoprick of Durham, settled in Nottinghamshire. Sir RICHARD de Stanhope living in the reign of K. Edw. III. married Alice, daughter and heir of ——— Hought, and left issue Sir John his heir, and Richard.

Sir JOHN married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Stephen Maulovel, and by her had a son,

Sir RICHARD, who was Knight of the Bath, and died in 1436. He married 1st Joan, daughter of Robert de Staveley, and had issue, Richard, Thomas, James, Elizabeth, and Agnes; married to Sir Robert Strelley; 2dly, Maud, niece and heir to Ralph Lord Cromwell, by whom he had a son Henry, who died without issue, and two daughters, heirs to their brother, viz. Maud, married first to Robert Lord Willoughby of Eresby; secondly to Sir Thomas Nevil; thirdly to Sir Gervase Clifton, Knt. who was taken prisoner at the battle of Tewksbury, and beheaded in the Market-place there, but had no issue by any of her husbands. Joan, her sister, married Humphry Bourchier, (3d son to Henry the 1st Earl of Essex) who was thereupon summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Cromwell, but left no issue.

he married Miss Ann Thistlethwaite RICHARD,
16. Sep^r. 1777

RICHARD, eldest son of Sir Richard, married Isabel, or Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Markham, Knt. and dying the 2d of March, 1432, left a son

JOHN, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Talbot, and had two sons, Thomas, his heir, and Henry of Stoke, in the county of Lincoln, whose son Edmund left an only daughter Margaret, married to Thomas Skeffington, Esq.

THOMAS, the eldest son, married Mary, daughter to Edward Jernegan, Esq. and by her had Sir Edward Stanhope, Knt. He died on the 6th of June, 1512. By his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter to Foulke Lord Fitzwarren, he had only a daughter Anne, who was second wife of Edward Seymour Duke of Somerset; but the said Sir Edward Stanhope, by his first wife Avelina, daughter of Sir Ger-vase Clifton, had two sons, Richard and Sir Michael, which Richard marrying Anne, daughter and heir to John Strelley, grandson of Sir Robert Strelley, and Agnes Stanhope, before-mentioned, by her had a daughter named Saunchia, who was married to John Bobington, Esq. but having no male issue,

Sir MICHAEL became the chief of the family, and was knighted by King Henry VIII. and afterwards obtained a grant to himself, and his heirs male, of the manor and rectory of Shelford, in the county of Nottingham, and divers others, and Northmuskham, in that county; as also those of Rowleby and Nestborough, in the county of Lincoln, and of Elveston and Oakbroke, in the county of Derby. He was chief Gentleman of the Privy-chamber to King Edward VI. and in the first year of his reign, was one of the Knights of the Shire for the county of Nottingham: When the ruin of his brother-in-law, the Duke of Somerset, was projected, he was imprisoned, and on the evidence of one Crane, found guilty of conspiring the death of a Privy-Counsellor, and was executed on Tower-Hill, February 26, 1552, with Sir Thomas Arundel, Sir Ralph Vane, &c. who ended their lives with the most solemn protestations of their innocence. He married Anne, daughter to Nicholas Rawston, Esq. by whom he had Sir Thomas; Eleanor, married to Thomas Cooper, Esq. Sir Edward; Julian, married to John Hotham, Esq.³ John; Jane, married first to Sir Roger Townshend; and 2dly to Henry Lord Berkeley; also Margaret,⁴ William, and Edward, who died in their infancies. John, their 3d son, was

235. was seated at Harrington in the county of Northampton, and on the 4th of May, 1605, 3 Jac. I. was created Lord Stanhope of Harrington, and marrying Margaret, daughter to Henry Mac-William, Esq. by her had two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir Lionel Talmash; and Catharine to Robert Visc. Cholmondeley; and an only son Charles, who was made Knight of the Bath. He married Dorothy, sister to Edward Barret, Earl of Newburgh, and dying without issue in 1677, the Barony was extinct.

Sir THOMAS, who succeeded, married Margaret, daughter and coheir to Sir John Port, and by her had John, Thomas, and Edward, and a daughter Anne, married to John Holles, Earl of Clare, and dying on the 3d of Aug. 1596,

Sir JOHN, his heir, succeeded to the estate, and died in 1610. He married first Cordell, daughter and heir to Richard Allington, Esq. by Joan his wife, sister and heir to Sir William Cordell, by whom he had Philip his heir. He married to his 2d wife, Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Trentham, Esq. by whom he had several daughters, of whom Jane married first Sir Peter Courtene, Bart. and 2dly to Francis Visc. Valentia; also two sons, Sir John who was seated at Elveston, in Derbyshire, from whom the present Earl of HARRINGTON is descended; and William, who was father of Sir William Stanhope, of Linby, in that county, who died without issue, and left his estate to the late Earl of Harrington.

(1st E.) PHILIP, eldest son and heir of Sir John, was created Baron Stanhope and Earl of Chesterfield. By his second wife Anne, daughter to Sir John Packington, and widow of Sir Humphrey Ferrers, he had an only son Alexander, from whom is descended Philip, now Earl STANHOPE. By his first wife Catharine, daughter to Francis Lord Hastings, son and heir to George the 4th Earl of Huntingdon, he had eleven sons, and two daughters; Sarah, married to Sir Richard Hoghton; and Elizabeth to Edward D'Arcy. Of the sons, Arthur the youngest is the ancestor of the present Earl. He married Anne, daughter to Sir Henry Salisbury, Bart. by whom he had Charles his heir, whose wife was Frances, only daughter to Sir Francis Topp, Bart. and by her had five sons, and two daughters Catharine and Elizabeth; and the sons were Francis, who

who died without issue, Michael, D. D. Henry, Philip, and Charles. Michael, D. D. the second son was Canon of Windsor, and died July 8, 1736, and left issue by Penelope, daughter of Sir Salathiel Lovell, four sons, Arthur-Charles, Sir Thomas, Ferdinando, and Lovell; Arthur-Charles, the eldest son, married in November, 1740, Mary, daughter of St. Andrew Thornhagh, of Osberton, in Nottinghamshire, Esq. and she died without issue, in March, 1748. He married secondly, Aug. 25, 1750, Margaret, daughter of Charles Headlam, Esq. and by her, who died in Jan. 1764, had issue, 1. Philip, who died young; 2. Philip, now Earl of Chesterfield; 3. Margaret, born in June, 1754, and married December 26, 1776, William Smelt, Esq. His third wife, whom he married in March, 1767, was Frances, daughter to — Broade, of Derby, Esq. and the said Arthur-Charles died in March, 1770, but had no issue by his third wife. Sir Thomas Stanhope, the second son of Dr. Stanhope, died in March, 1770, unmarried. Ferdinand the third son of Dr. Stanhope, married on the 8th of March, 1742, to Miss Mary Philips, of Chippenham in Wilts, by whom he has, 1. Penelope, born in August, 1743; 2. John, born in Sept. 1744; 3. Charles, an officer in the army, born Jan. 1745, and died Aug. 6, 1767; 4. Mary, born in March, 1746; 5. Thomas, born in 1748, died an infant; 6. Michael, born in July, 1750; 7. Arthur, born in Oct. 1752. Lovell Stanhope, the 4th son of Dr. Stanhope, is unmarried. Of the other sons of Philip Earl of Chesterfield; Philip was slain at Shelford-house, in the time of the civil war, and Ferdinando in a sharp fight at Bridgford. He married Lettice, daughter of Sir Humphry Ferrers, and left issue one daughter Anne; John the eldest, Edward, William, Michael, Thomas, and George, died young; Charles, 3d son, married a daughter of Dr. Bayley, and died without issue.

HENRY, the 2d son, became heir apparent; he was a Knight of the Bath; but dying in 1634, in his father's life-time, left issue by Catharine, eldest daughter and coheir to Edward Lord Wotton, Philip, successor to his grandfather, a daughter of her name, who married William Lord Allington, and a daughter Mary, who died unmarried. The Lady Catharine, their mother, was on the 29th of May, 12 Char. II. advanced to the dignity of Countess of Chesterfield, for her natural life, and her daughters to have precedency as Earls daughters: And

marrying

*Cath.
Ct's of
Chesterfield*

Cath. Stanhope was Governor of Am. son of the Duke of Orange - afterwards a Lord.
 marrying to her second husband, Poliander Kirkhoven, Lord of Hemfleet in Holland, she had a son Charles-Henry, and died April 9, 1677, which son was created a Baron of this realm by the title of Lord Wotton, of Wotton in Kent, by letters patent dated August 31, 1650, and was naturalized in Sept. 1660, with his sister Emeline, who died unmarried; he was also created Earl of Bellomont in Ireland, and dying without issue left his estate to Charles Stanhope, younger son of his half-brother Philip, Earl of Chesterfield, who thereupon took the name of Wotton. *lastly the Duke married Anne, daughter of the Duke of Devonshire, who was a Lord of the Bedchamber to K. Char. 2.*

(2d E.) PHILIP, who in 1656, succeeded his grandfather, married first Anne, eldest daughter to Algernon, the 10th Earl of Northumberland, by whom he had a son Algernon, who died in his infancy; and by his second wife, the Lady Elizabeth, daughter to James Butler, the first Duke of Ormond, he had a son Henry, who died an infant, and a daughter of her name, who married John Earl of Strathmore; but marrying a third wife, Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Charles Dormer, Earl of Caernarvon, by her had two sons and two daughters, and died on the 28th of Jan. 1713, aged 80 years and two months. Of the daughters, Mary was married to Thomas Coke of Melbourne, Esq. and Catharine married to Godfrey Clark, Esq. Of the sons, which were Philip and Charles; the latter who changed his name for that of Wotton, as above-mentioned, married Jane, daughter of Gilliert Thatcher, Esq. and died without issue.

(3d E.) PHILIP, who in 1713 succeeded his father, married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to George Savile, Marquis of Halifax, by Gertrude, daughter of William Pierpoint, of Thoresby, and by her had four sons and two daughters; of which the Lady Gertrude, on the 16th of April, 1724, married Sir Charles Hotham, and died April 17, 1775; and the Lady Elizabeth married Samuel Hill, Esq. but died on the 24th of Nov. 1727, in the 24th year of her age, without issue. Of the sons which were Philip-Dormer, Sir William, John, and Charles; the latter, who was born September 6, 1708, died the 20th of Feb. 1736; John, born January 5, 1705, and died in Dec. 1748; Sir William was born July 20, 1702. He married first Margaret, daughter to John Rudge, Esq. merchant of London; she died in Oct. 1740, by whom he had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Welbore Ellis, Esq. He married

married secondly Elizabeth, daughter of John Crawley, Esq. late Alderman of London; and he married thirdly, October 6, 1759, Anne, sister to Sir Francis Blake Delaval, and he died May 7, 1772.

(4th E.) PHILIP, the eldest son, who was born on the 22d of September, 1695, on the 27th of January, 1726, succeeded his father, and on the 15th of September, 1733, was married to the Lady Melosina, Countess of Walsingham; but died March 24, 1773, without issue, and the honours devolved on

(5th E.) PHILIP, the present Earl, being the grandson of Michael Stanhope, D. D. son of Charles, only surviving son of Arthur, the youngest son of the first Earl of Chesterfield.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Stanhope of Shelford, in the county of Nottingham, Nov. 7, 1616, 14 Jac. I. and Earl of Chesterfield in the county of Derby, August 4, 1628, 4 Car. I.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *ermine* and *gules*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a wreath a tower, *argent*, with a demi-lion rampant, issuing from the battlements, *or*, crowned ducally, *gules*, and holding between his paws a granade firing, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a wolf, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet. On the sinister a talbot, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Exitus acta probat.*

CHIEF-SEATS.] At Bretby in Derbyshire; at Shelford in Nottinghamshire; at Blackheath in Kent; and Eythrope in Bucks.

TUFTON, EARL OF THANET.

THE Right Hon. SACKVILE TUFTON, Earl of THANET, Baron Tufton, Lord Westmoreland and Vezey, Lord of the honour of Skipton in Craven, was born in August, 1733, and succeeded his father, who died December 4, 1754. He married August 30, 1767, Mary, daughter of the late Lord John Sackville, by whom he has a son, born in Sept. 1770.

Of this family, which originally assumed its surname from a place called Toketon (but of late Tufton) in the parish of Nordiham in Suffex, was

JOHN

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1. Bar.
2. Line JOHN Tufton of Hothfield, in Kent, Esq. Sheriff of that county in the 4th of Elizabeth, who married Mary, daughter to Sir John Baker, and by her had a daughter Cecily, married to Sir Thomas Sandes, Knt. and

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2. B+ Sir JOHN his heir, who was created a Baronet by James I. and died April 2, 1624. He married first Olimpia, daughter to Christopher Blower, of Raynham in Kent, Esq. by whom he had three daughters; Anne, married to Francis Thresham, Esq. Elizabeth, who died young; and Margaret, married to Sir Thomas Carril: And by his second, who was Christian, daughter to Sir Humphrey Brown, he had six sons and four daughters; of which Cicily married first to Sir Edward Hungerford, and next to Francis Earl of Rutland; Mary to Henry Constable, Visc. Dunbar; Anne and Elizabeth both died young. The sons were, 1. Sir Nicholas; 2. John, died unmarried; 3. Sir Humphey, created a Baronet December 24, 1641. He married Margaret, daughter of Herbert Morley, Esq. and had a son Sir John Tufton, who married first Margaret, third daughter and coheir of Thomas Lord Wotton; and secondly Mary, daughter of Sir James Altham; but died without issue October 14, 1685; 4. Richard, who married Chryfogon, daughter of Herbert Morley above-mentioned, by whom he had John his heir, father of Sir Richard Tufton, who died without issue, and a daughter Mary, married to Sir Robert Huddleston; 5. Sir William, died in 1650; 6. Thomas, died unmarried.

2. B+ (1st E.) NICHOLAS the eldest, was by King Charles I. created Baron Tufton and Earl of Thanet. He married the Lady Frances, daughter to Thomas the first Earl of Exeter, and had four sons; William, who died young; John, his heir; Nicholas, who died an infant; and Cecil, who left issue Sir Charles. This Earl had also nine daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir Edward Dering; Dorothy, to Sir Ralph Ashton; Mary, to Sir Edward Bishopp; Diana, to Robert Corson, Esq. and Christian, to William Milward; Frances and Cecilia died unmarried; Anne and Alice died young.

(2d E.) JOHN who on the 1st of July, 1632, succeeded his father, married Margaret, daughter to Richard Sackville, the third Earl of Dorset, (by Anne Baroness Clifford) and had six sons and six daughters; whereof Anne died young. Margaret was married to George the third

third Lord Coventry; Frances to Henry Drax, Esq. Cecily to Christopher the first Visc. Hatton; Mary to William Walter, Esq. and Anne to Samuel Grimston, Esq. And of the sons, which were Nicholas, John, Richard, Thomas, Sackville, and George,

(3d E.) NICHOLAS the eldest, on the 6th of May, 1664, succeeded his father in his honours. He married Elizabeth, third daughter to Richard Boyle, the 2d Earl of Cork, and Burlington; but dying on the 24th of Nov. 1679, without issue,

(4th E.) JOHN his next brother, became heir; and on the 14th of Aug. 1676, succeeded his mother as Baron of Clifford; and in 1678, succeeded his cousin the Lady Alatheia, daughter of James the third Earl of Northampton, and he dying on the 27th of April, 1680, unmarried, the honour devolved upon

(5th E.) RICHARD the 3d son; who dying on the 8th of March, 1684, unmarried also, the honours descended to

(6th E.) THOMAS the 4th son, who married the Lady Catharine Cavendish, 4th daughter to Henry Duke of Newcastle, and by her (who died April 20, 1712) had three sons and five daughters; the Lady Catharine, married in April 1708, to Edward Watson, Visc. Sönds, eldest son to Lewis Earl of Rockingham, and died Feb. 1734; Lady Anne, in Feb. 1708, to James Earl of Salisbury, and died in March, 1757; Lady Mary, 1st in April 1718, to Anthony Earl of Harold, son to Henry Duke of *Harold* Kent; and secondly to John Earl Gower, being his third wife. Lady Margaret, (to whom, and her heirs, his Majesty was pleased, August 13, 1734, to confirm the Barony of CLIFFORD) in July, 1718, to Thomas Coke, late Earl of Leicester, the Lady Isabella, married first the Lord Nassau Powlett; and secondly to Sir Francis-Blake Delaval. Of the sons, which were John, Thomas, and John, they all died the day they were born, and their father dying July 30, 1729, without issue male, we come to

SACKVILLE, 5th son of John the 2d Earl. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Ralph Wilbraham, Esq. and had six sons and six daughters, all deceased. Of the sons, John the eldest died an infant; John the 3d died Sept. 22, 1727, aged 34; Wilbraham, 4th son, died November 20, 1754; Richard, 5th son, and Thomas, 6th son, all

all deceased; and his father dying on the 30th of March, 1721, in the 74th year of his age, was succeeded by

(7th E.) SACKVILE his 2d son, who succeeded Thomas his uncle as Earl of Thanet. He was born May 11, 1688, ^x and having married, on the 11th of June, 1722, ^{due} the Lady Mary, youngest of the two daughters and co-^{4 Dec.} heirs to William Marquis of Halifax; by her, who died 1754 July 30, 1751, had issue two sons, John Lord Tufton, who died in the 9th year of his age, June 3, 1734, and

(8th E.) SACKVILE, the present Earl, born in August 1723, and two daughters, Lady Mary, born in May, 1723, married the 5th of September, 1763, to Sir William Duncan, Bart. and Lady Charlotte, born in September, 1728.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Tufton of Tufton, in the county of Suffex, November 1, 1626, 2 Car. I. Earl of Thanet, an Isle in the county of Kent, August 5, 1628, 4 Car. I.

ARMS.] *Sable*, an eagle displayed, *ermine*, within a bordure, *argent*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a sea-lion, sejant, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles, their wings expanded, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Fiel pero desdichado*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hothfield in Kent; at Newbottle in Northamptonshire.

MONTAGU, EARL OF SANDWICH.

THE Right Hon. JOHN MONTAGU, Earl of SANDWICH, Viscount Hinchinbroke, Baron Montagu of St. Neots, in Huntingdonshire, succeeded Edward, the late Earl, his grandfather, October 20, 1729. His Lordship married Dorothy, daughter of Charles Lord Viscount Fane, of the Kingdom of Ireland, March 7, 1742; by whom he has had issue, ^{st. x} 2. John, Viscount Hinchinbroke, born Jan. 26, 1744, ^{John} and married March 1, 1766, Lady Elizabeth daughter to the Earl of Halifax; by whom he has a son, born April 1, 1767. Her Ladyship died July 1, 1768, and his Lordship is since ^{die} married ^{3 2 9}

married to Lady Mary, eldest daughter to the Duke of Bolton. 2. Edward Montagu, born June 30, 1745, died Nov. 3, 1752. 3. William-Augustus, born in 1752, and died at Lisbon in Jan. 1776. 4. Lady Mary, born Feb. 23, 1748, died June, 1761.

This being a branch of the family of Montagu, and its descent set forth under the title of Duke of Manchester, we shall here only go back to

Sir EDWARD Montagu of Boughton, who had eight sons, of whom Edward succeeded him, and was created Baron Montagu of Boughton; and

Sir SIDNEY the youngest, married Paulina, 3d daughter to John Pepys, Esq. and had two sons and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Gilbert Pickering; Henry his eldest son, died young.

(1st E.) EDWARD his successor, who obtained the sole command of the English navy, and delivered up the whole fleet to King Charles II. and for that service he was created Baron Montagu of St. Neots, Viscount Hinchinbroke and Earl of Sandwich. He was likewise Lord High-Admiral of England; but on the 28th of May, 1672 he lost his life in the great sea-fight against the Dutch off Southwold-bay, in the 47th year of his age. He married Jemima, daughter to John/Lord Crewe of Stene, and had six sons and four daughters, whereof Jemima was married to Sir Philip Carteret; Paulina, 2d daughter, died unmarried; Anne, 3d daughter, married first Sir Richard Edgecumbe, and secondly, Christopher Montagu, Esq. and Catharine, married first Nicholas Bacon, Esq. and secondly the Rev. Mr. Gardemau, and died Jan. 15, 1757, aged 96. The sons were, Edward his successor; Sidney, 2d son, married Anne, daughter and heir of Sir Francis Wortley, and changed his name to Wortley; he had issue two sons, Francis, who died before his father; and Edward; and dying on the 11th of November, 1727, aged 78, was succeeded by Edward his 2d and only surviving son, who married the Lady Mary Pierpoint, eldest daughter to Evelyn Duke of Kingston, by whom he had a son Edward, who died without issue in 1776; and a daughter Mary married to John Earl of Bute. Oliver, 3d son of the Earl of Sandwich, died unmarried in 1693. John, 4th son, was Dean of Durham, and died unmarried in Feb. 1729. Charles, 5th son, first married

ried Elizabeth, daughter of Francis Foster, Esq. by whom he had an only son James, and died in November, 1748: He married 2dly Sarah, daughter of — Rogers, Esq. and dying in 1721, left issue Edward, John, a Lieutenant-Colonel of foot, who died unmarried in September, 1744; and a daughter Jemima. 6 James, 6th son, died unmarried.

(2d E.) EDWARD, the eldest son, succeeded his father as before-mentioned; and died in February 1689. He married Anne, 4th daughter to Richard Earl of Burlington, and had two sons, Edward his heir, and Richard, who died unmarried, April 19, 1697, aged 26; and a daughter Elizabeth, who died unmarried.

(3d E.) EDWARD, who succeeded his father, died on the 20th of October, 1729, aged 56. He married Elizabeth, 2d daughter to John Wilmot Earl of Rochester, and had a daughter Elizabeth, who died an infant, and,

EDWARD-RICHARD, Viscount Hinchinbroke, his only son died on the 4th of October, 1722. He married Elizabeth, only daughter to Alexander Popham, Esq. by her, who afterwards married Francis Seymour, Esq. had two sons, John and William, and two daughters, Mary, who died young, and Elizabeth, married first in Sept. 1737, to Kelland Courteney, Esq. 2dly to Mr. Smith; of the two sons, John was heir to his grandfather, and William, an officer in the sea-service, married in October, 1748, Miss Charlotte Naylor, and had a son William, and died on Feb. 10, 1757.

(4th E.) JOHN succeeded his grandfather.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Montagu of St. Neots, Viscount Hinchinbroke in the county of Huntingdon, and Earl of Sandwich in the county of Kent, July 12, 1660, 12 Car. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly first and fourth, *argent*, three lozenges conjoined in fess, *gules*; within a border, *sable*: third and fourth, *or*, an eagle displayed *vert*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a wreath a gryphon's head couped, *or*; its beak and wings *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a triton, holding over his right shoulder a trident, all *proper*, his ducal crown,

crown, or. On the sinister a parrot, with wings disclosed,
vert.

MOTTO.] *Post tot naufragia portum.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Hinchinbroke in the County of
Huntingdon.

CAPEL, EARL of ESSEX.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM ANNE HOLLES CAPEL,
Earl of ESSEX, Viscount Malden, and Baron Capel of
Hadham; born October 7, 1732, succeeded his father
William, the late Earl, January 8, 1743; and married
August 1, 1754, Frances, daughter of Sir Charles Han-
bury Williams, Knight of the Bath; by whom he has had,
1. Lady Elizabeth, born August 10, 1755, and married
July 15, 1777, the Right Hon. Lord Monson. 2. George
Viscount Malden, born November 13, 1757. 3. Lady
Frances, born July 14, 1759; and died with the Countess
her mother, July 19, 1759. He married secondly,
March 3, 1767, Harriot, daughter of Colonel Thomas
Bladen.

The first that laid the foundation for supporting the
honour which afterwards his descendants obtained, was

Sir WILLIAM Capel, who was Lord Mayor of London,
and descended from an ancient family, Lords of the
Manor of Capel, in Suffolk, for many ages. He married
Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Arundel, and had a
son Giles, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Wil-
liam Powlett, the first Marquis of Winchester, and Dorothy,
to John Lord Zouch, and dying in 1509, was succeed-
ed by

GILES, who married first, Mary, daughter of Richard
Rofs, Esq. by whom he had no issue; secondly Isabel,
daughter to Sir Thomas Newton, and by her had a daugh-
ter married to Robert Ward, Esq. also two sons,

Sir HENRY his heir, who married Anne, daughter of
George Lord Roos, by whom he had no issue, and

Sir EDWARD, successor to his Brother, who by Anne,
daughter to Sir William Pelham, had two sons, Sir Henry
and Giles; and four daughters; Elizabeth, married to
Thomas Wentworth, Esq. Anne, to Edward Halfhide,

Esq. Mary, to Wiston Brown, Esq. and Grace, to John Burton, Esq.

Sir HENRY, succeeded his father, and married first Mabel, daughter to Anthony Brown, Visc. Montagu; his 2d wife was Catharine, 4th daughter to Thomas the first Earl of Rutland, and by her he had six sons, and three daughters; whereof Frances was married to Sir John Shirley; Mary, to Humphrey Mildmay, Esq. and Agnes died unmarried; and of the sons

Sir ARTHUR the eldest succeeding his father, married Mary, sister to Henry Lord Grey of Groby, and by her had eleven sons, and eight daughters; Mary and Margaret died unmarried; Penelope, married Litton Pulter, Esq. Anne, to Robert Chester, Esq. Catharine-Winifrede to Sir Thomas Bedell; Elizabeth, first to Sir Justinian Lewen, and secondly to Ralph Lord Hopton; Anne, to Sir Richard Corbet; and Mary to Henry Lord Lee. Of the sons,

Sir HENRY, the eldest, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Theodosia, his first wife, sister to Edward Lord Montagu, a son Arthur, and three daughters; and by his second, who was Dorothy, widow of Sir Thomas Hoskins, he had a daughter Anne, married to Thomas Westrow, Esq. The daughters by the first wife were Elizabeth, married to Sir William Wiseman, Bart. Theodosia to Edward Kemeys, Esq. and Margaret; and the said

(1st L.) ARTHUR succeeding his grandfather, was created Lord Capel of Hadham, and was condemned by the Parliament, and beheaded the 9th of March, in 1649. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Sir Charles Morrison, of Cashioberry in the county of Hertford, by whom he had issue four sons, and four daughters, 1. Arthur; 2. Henry, who was created Lord Capel of Tewksbury. He married Dorothy, daughter of Richard Bennet, Esq. but died without issue, May 30, 1696; 3. Edward, and 4. Charles, died unmarried. Of the daughters, Mary, the eldest first married Henry Marquis of Hertford; Elizabeth, the 2d, to Charles Dormer Earl of Carnarvon; Theodosia, the 3d, to Henry Hyde Earl of Clarendon; and Anne, the youngest, to John Strangeways, Esq.

(1st E.) ARTHUR, who succeeded his father, was created Viscount Malden, and Earl of Essex. He was accused amongst many others, of a design to assassinate the King,

King, at Rye-house, and was sent prisoner to the Tower, where, on the 13th of July, 1683, he was found with his throat cut, and not without suspicion of being murdered. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Algernon the tenth Earl of Northumberland, and by her, who died in 1718, had six sons and two daughters, whereof only one son, and a daughter Anne, lived to maturity; she married Charles³ Earl of Carlisle; and

(2d E.) ALGERNON, her brother, succeeded his father, and died on the 10th of January, 1710. He married the Lady Mary Bentinck, eldest daughter to William Earl of Portland, and by her, who afterwards married to Sir Conyers D'Arcey, left William his heir, and two daughters; the Lady Elizabeth first married to Samuel Molineux, Esq. but he dying in April, 1728, she on the 17th of May, 1730, married Nathaniel St. Andre, Esq. and the Lady Mary, who married on the 7th of May, 1729, Allan Broderick, Visc. Middleton in Ireland.

(3d E.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, married on the 27th of November 1718, to his first wife the Lady Jane Hyde, daughter to Henry Earl of Rochester, and by her (who died January 3, 1724) had issue four daughters, viz. Lady Carolina, Lady Jane, died young, Lady Charlotte, born October 2, 1721, married March 30, 1752, to Thomas Villiers, now Earl of Clarendon; Lady Mary, born October 30, 1722, married on August 6, 1758, to Admiral John Forbes; and on the 3d of Feb. 1726, taking to his second wife the Lady Elizabeth Russel, youngest daughter to Wriothesly Duke of Bedford, by her had issue Lady Elizabeth, who died young; George, who died young; Lady Diana, born Feb. 22, 1728; Lady Anne, born May 12, 1730; Lady Amelia, born Sept. 9, 1731; William-Anne-Holles, the present Earl; and his Lordship deceasing on the 8th of Jan. 1743, was succeeded by his only son

(4th E.) WILLIAM-ANNE-HOLLES, the present Earl. CREATIONS.] Created Baron Capel of Hadham in the county of Hertford, August 6, 1641, 17 Car. I. and Viscount Malden in the county of Essex, and Earl of that county, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a lion rampant, between three cross crosslets fitchy, *or*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a demi lion rampant, couped, *or*, holding in his paws a cross crosslet, fitchy, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *or*, ducally crowned, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Fide et fortitudine.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Cashioberry in Hertfordshire.

HOWARD, EARL OF CARLISLE.

THE Right Honourable FREDERICK HOWARD, Earl of CARLISLE, Viscount Howard of Morpeth, Baron Dacres of Gillisland, born May 28, 1748, succeeded his father Henry, September 4, 1758. His Lordship married, March 22, 1770, Lady Carolina, daughter of Earl Gower, by whom he has issue, George Lord Morpeth, born Nov. 1773; Lady Carolina, born Nov. 1771; Lady Charlotte, born Feb. 26, 1775; Lady Susan, born July 15, 1776.

The original descent of this family is set forth under the title of Howard Duke of Norfolk.

Lord WILLIAM Howard, third son of Thomas the 4th Duke of Norfolk, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Lord Dacres of Gillisland, in her right became possessed of Naworth-Castle, in the county of Cumberland, her father's chief seat, and by her had five sons, 1. Sir Philip; 2. Sir Francis Howard, who married first Margaret, daughter of John Preston, by whom he had a son Thomas, slain at Atherton-Moor, June 30, 1643, unmarried, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Edward Standish. He married secondly Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Widdrington, by whom he had three sons, Francis-Henry, Thomas and Henry, and several daughters, whereof Mary married Thomas Haggerston, Esq. 3. Sir William, died without issue; 4. Sir Charles, married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Henry Widdrington, and left issue; 5. Thomas, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Euere. Lord William had also three daughters; Mary, married to Sir John Winter; Elizabeth to Sir Henry Beddingfield; and Margaret, to Sir Thomas Cotton.

Sir PHILIP, the eldest son, dying in his father's lifetime, left issue by Mary, daughter of Sir John Carrel, Sir William his heir, John, who died at twenty years of age, and Philip, who was slain at Rowton-heath, and two daughters, Elizabeth married to Bartholomew Fromond, Esq. and Alatheia to Thomas the second Viscount Fairfax of Ireland.

Sir WILLIAM, who succeeded, married Mary, eldest daughter to William Lord Euere of Wotton, and by her had five sons, William, who died in his father's life-time,

+ Charles, Philip, Thomas, and John; and five daughters, *Thos.* Mary, married to Sir Jonathan Atkins; Elizabeth, to *married* Sir Thomas Gower; Catharine, to Sir John Lawson; *Mary* Frances, to Sir George Downing; and Margaret, to *William* Alexander the second Earl of Leven. *at Richmond*

+ (1st E.) CHARLES, who succeeded his father, was created a Baron, Viscount, and Earl, and died on the 24th of February, 1686, aged 56. He married Anne, daughter to Edward Lord Howard of Escrick, by whom he had Edward his heir, Frederick-Christian, who was slain at the siege of Lutsemburgh, 1684; and three daughters; Mary, married to Sir John Fenwick; Anne, to Richard Grahme, Viscount Preston; and Catharine, who died unmarried.

(2d E.) EDWARD, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Uvedale, widow of Sir William Berkeley, by her had three sons and two daughters; all of whom died unmarried, except the eldest son,

(3d E.) CHARLES, who on the 23d of April, 1692, succeeded him, was the only one surviving, and his Lordship marrying the Lady Anne, daughter of Arthur the first Earl of Essex, by her had two sons and three daughters, the Ladies Elizabeth, Anne, and Mary; of whom the second was married to Richard Ingram, Visc. Irwin in Scotland; and the eldest 1st to Nicholas Lord Lechmere; but he dying on the 18th of June, 1727, without issue, his honour became extinct; and on the 25th of October, 1728, her Ladyship was married to Thomas Robinson, Esq. who in 1730, was created a Baronet. She died in April, 1739. Of the sons, which were Henry and Sir Charles, the latter was Knight of the Bath; and

(4th E.) HENRY, who was born in 1694, and succeeded his father, May 1, 1738. He married the Lady Frances Spencer, *only* daughter of Charles^{3d} Earl of Sunderland, *by his wife,* and by her, who died in August, 1742, had two sons and two daughters, Charles, who died in August, 1741; Robert, died October 20, 1743, aged 19; Lady Arabella, married in 1741, to Jonathan Cope, Esq. and died in 1746; and Diana married January 8, 1749, to Thomas Duncombe, Esq. His Lordship was married secondly, June 8, 1743, to Isabella, sister of Lord Byron, by whom

he had issue, 1. Frederick, the present Earl, born May 28, 1748. 2. Lady Anne, born in 1744. 3. Lady Frances, born in 1745, married in April, 1768, to John Radcliffe, Esq. of Hitchin in Hertfordshire. 4. Lady Elizabeth, born in 1746, and married, February 16, 1769, Peter Delme, Esq. and 5. Lady Juliana. The Countess their mother married, secondly, Sir William Musgrave, Bart. His Lordship dying September 4, 1758, was succeeded by his son

(5th E.) FREDERICK, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Dacres, of Gillisland in the county of Cumberland, Visc. Howard of Morpeth in the county of Northumberland, and Earl of Carlisle in the county of Cumberland, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Gules*, on a bend, between six cross crosslets fitche, *argent*, an escutcheon, *or*, charged with a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow within a double tressure counterflory, *gules*, with a mullet for difference. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a lion guardant, his tail extended, *or*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, *argent*, differenced by a mullet. On the sinister a bull, *gules*, armed, unguled, ducally gorged, and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Volo non Valeo*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Castle-Howard, in Yorkshire; Naworth-Castle, in Cumberland; Morpeth-Castle, in Northumberland.



SCOT, EARL OF DONCASTER AND DUKE OF BUCCLEUGH.

THE most noble Prince HENRY SCOT, Duke of BUCCLEUGH, Earl of Dalkeith, Baron Scot of Buccleugh and Eskdale, and a Peer of England by the title of Baron Scot, of Tindale in Northumberland, and Earl of Doncaster in Yorkshire, was born September 2, 1746.

For an account of this family, see the Duke of Buccleugh in the Peerage of Scotland.

COOPER,

COOPER, EARL OF SHAFTESBURY.

THE Right Honourable ANTHONY-ASHLEY COOPER, Earl of SHAFTESBURY, Baron Ashley of Winborne St. Giles, Baron Cooper of Powlet, born September 17, 1761, and succeeded his father, the late Earl, in June, 1771.

RICHARD Cooper, in the 23d Hen. VIII. purchased of Sir Amias Paulett, Kt. the Manor of Paulett in Somersetshire. He married Jane, daughter of Sir John Kingmill, and had three sons, Sir John his heir, George, and Sir Maurice, who both died without issue; and two daughters, Margaret married to Thomas Prideaux, and Gertrude to Robert Broughton. He died May 8, 1566, and was succeeded by his son

Sir JOHN Cooper, who was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, 20 Jam. I. He married first Anne, daughter to Sir Anthony Ashley, of Winbourn St. Giles, in the county of Dorset, and by her had two sons, Sir Anthony and George. He married, secondly, Mary, daughter of Baptist Hickes, Visc. Campden, widow of Sir Charles Morrifon, which Lady survived him without issue by him, who died March 23, 1631.

(1st E.) Sir ANTHONY-ASHLEY COOPER, his eldest son, was created Lord Ashley of Winbourn St. Giles. He was likewise created Lord Cooper of Powlett, and Earl of Shaftesbury, and on the 17th of November, 1672, made Lord High Chancellor of England. He married first Margaret, daughter to Thomas Lord Coventry; secondly Frances, daughter to David Cecil the third Earl of Exeter, by whom he had Anthony his heir, and lastly Margaret, sister of Henry Earl of Sunderland, by whom he had no issue.

(2d E.) ANTHONY, who on the 22d of January, 1683, succeeded him, married Dorothy, third daughter to John the 8th Earl of Rutland, and had three sons and four daughters; the Lady Frances, the wife of Francis Stonehouse, Esq. Dorothy, the wife of Edward Hooper, Esq. died May 4, 1749; Elizabeth, the wife of James Harris, Esq. died in Jan. 1744; and Gertrude died unmarried. Of the sons, which were

(3d E.)

(3d E.) ANTHONY, John, and Maurice, John died in 1693. unmarried; and the eldest born on Feb. 26, 1670, who was author of those excellent Essays, entitled *Characteristicks*, succeeded his father, and died at Naples, Feb. 24, 1713. He married in 1709, Jane, daughter to Thomas Ewer, Esq. and by her, who died November 23, 1751, left

(4th E.) ANTHONY, who on the 12th of March, 1725, married the Lady Susan Noel, daughter to Baptist the third Earl of Gainsborough, by whom he had no issue. His Lady dying in June, 1758, his Lordship married secondly, March 16, 1759, Mary, second daughter to Jacob Visc. Folkstone, by whom he had

(5th E.) ANTHONY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baronet, July 4, 1622, 20 Jac. I. Baron Ashley of Winbourn St. Giles, in the county of Dorset, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. Baron Cooper of Paulett in the county of Somerset, and Earl of Shaftesbury in the county of Dorset, April 3, 1672, 24 Car. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly first and fourth, *argent*, three bulls passant, *sable*, armed and unguled, *or*, for Ashley; second and third, *gules*, a bend engrailed between six lions rampant, *or*, for Cooper. [Plate X.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a bull passant, *sable*, gorged with a mural coronet, and armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a bull, *sable*, his ducal collar, *or*. On the sinister, a talbot, *azure*, gorged as the dexter.

MOTTO.] *Love, serve.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Winborne St. Giles, in the county of Dorset; at Rockburn-house, in the county of Southampton.

BERKELEY, EARL OF BERKELEY.

THE Right Honourable FREDERICK-AUGUSTUS BERKELEY, Earl of Berkeley, Viscount Dursley, Baron Berkeley of Berkeley-Castle, Mowbray, Segrave, and Breaus of Gower, born May 24, 1745, and succeeded his father Jan. 9, 1755.

This

This noble family is descended from

ROBERT Fitz-Harding, who obtained a grant of the Castle and honour of Berkeley (formerly the possession of Roger de Berkeley, whose male line ceased) from Henry son of Maud the Empress, whereupon his descendants assumed the surname, which, together with the Castle and Barony, continues in the male line to this day; and to the said Robert (who accompanied William the Norman Duke in his expedition into England, and was grandson to one of the Kings of Denmark) succeeded

MAURICE Berkeley his son; who, married Alice, daughter of Roger de Berkeley of Dursley. By the said Alice he had six sons, Robert, Thomas, Maurice, William, Henry and Richard.

ROBERT his heir, married two wives, but dying without issue May 13, 1219, was succeeded by

THOMAS his brother, who married Joan, daughter to Ralph de Somery Lord of Campden, and dying Nov. 29, 1243, left issue six sons,

MAURICE, Thomas, Robert, Henry, William, and Richard; the eldest of whom married Isabel, daughter to Maurice de Creoun, by whom he had issue, Maurice, who was killed in a Tournament, and

THOMAS his successor, who served King Edw. I. and II. in their wars, and by Jane, daughter to William de Ferrers Earl of Derby, had four sons; Maurice his heir; John Lord of Wymundham in the county of Leicester; James Bishop of Exeter, and William; and two daughters, who died young.

(1st L.) MAURICE, who succeeded, married 1st Eve, daughter of Eudo la Zouche, by whom he had Thomas his successor, Maurice, John, Eudo, and Peter; also a daughter Isabel, wife to Robert the 7th Lord Clifford. He married 2dly Isabel, daughter of Gilbert de Clare Earl of Gloucester, by whom he had no issue.

(2d L.) THOMAS who succeeded his father, had the keeping of King Edw. II. in his Castle at Berkeley; but being thought too courteous to him, he was commanded to deliver him, together with the custody of his Castle, to John Lord Maltravers, and Thomas Gurney, whence the execrable murder of that unhappy monarch succeeded. He died the 25th of Edward III. having married 1st Margaret, 4th daughter of Robert Mortimer Earl of March, and widow of Robert Vere Earl of Oxford, by whom

whom he had Maurice, Thomas, Roger, and Alphonſus; and a daughter Joan, married to Reginald Lord Cobham. His ſecond wife was Catharine, daughter of Sir John Clivedon, widow of Sir Peter le Veel, Kt. by whom he had Thomas, Maurice, Edward, and John; of whom

(3d L.) MAURICE his eldeſt ſon by his firſt wife ſucceeded him. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Hugh le Deſpenſer, and by her had four ſons,

(4th L.) THOMAS, Sir James, John, and Maurice; and three daughters, who died unmarried. Of the ſons, the eldeſt ſucceeded, and married Margaret, daughter to Gerard Warren Lord Liſle, by whom he had an only daughter Elizabeth, married to Richard Beauchamp Earl of Warwick, but dying without iſſue male, we return to

Sir JAMES his brother. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Sir John Bloet, by whom he had James his heir, and Maurice, who died without iſſue; which

(5th L.) JAMES alſo became heir to his uncle Thomas, and by virtue of a ſpecial entail, enjoyed the Caſtle and Lordſhips of Berkeley. He was ſummoned to Parliament among the Peers the 9th of Henry V. and died the 3d of Edw. IV. He married firſt a daughter of Humphry Stafford, by whom he had no iſſue; ſecondly Iſabel, daughter to Thomas Mowbray Duke of Norfolk, and widow of Henry, ſon and heir of William Lord Ferrers of Groby; thirdly Joan, daughter of John Talbot the firſt Earl of Shrewsbury, by whom he had no iſſue; and ſhe married ſecondly Edmund Hungerford, Eſq. By his ſecond wife he had four ſons, Sir William, Sir Maurice, James, killed in France, and Thomas, from whom the Berkeleys of the counties of Worceſter and Hereford are deſcended; alſo three daughters, Elizabeth married to Thomas Burdet; Iſabel, married to Thomas Trye, Eſq. and Alice to Richard Arthur, Eſq. Sir Maurice, ſecond ſon, had a daughter Joice, married to William Aſtley, Eſq.

(6th L.) Sir WILLIAM the eldeſt, who ſucceeded his father, was on the 21ſt of April, 1481, advanced to the dignity of Viſc. Berkeley; and on the 28th of June, 1483, created Earl of Nottingham. In 1485 he was made Earl Marſhal of England, and to the heirs male of his body; and was created Marquis of Berkeley. He married firſt Elizabeth, daughter of Reginald Weſt, the firſt Lord de la War,

War, from whom he was divorced, without having any issue; secondly Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Strangers, and widow of Sir William Willoughby, Knt. by whom he had issue Thomas and Catharine, who died young; thirdly Anne, daughter of John Fiennes Lord Dacres of the South, who surviving him, married secondly Sir Thomas Brandon, Knt. He died on the 14th of Feb. 1492, without issue, and taking occasion to except against his brother,

MAURICE, as his successor, because he had not married into a noble family, (the being Isabella, daughter to Philip Mead, Esq. then Alderman of the city of Bristol) gave all his lands from him, particularly the Castle of Berkeley, and those lands and Lordships that were annexed to that ancient Barony, to King Henry VII. and the heirs male of his body, in remainder to his own right heirs, so that he enjoyed no part of the honour, but in time he recovered best part of the lands which his brother had given from him; and dying the 22d of Henry VII. left three sons, Maurice and Thomas his successors, and James, who left two daughters, Mary married first to Sir Thomas Perrot, and secondly to Sir Thomas Jones, and Anne married to Sir William Dennis of Durham.

MAURICE the eldest son, succeeded his father, and in the 14th of Henry VIII. had summons to Parliament; but had not the place of his ancestors, because the Castle of Berkeley remained to the crown, by virtue of the entail made by William his uncle. He married Catharine, daughter to Sir William Berkeley, but dying Sept. 12, 1523, without issue,

THOMAS his brother became heir, who married first Eleanor, daughter of Sir Marmaduke Constable, widow of John Ingleby, Esq. by whom he had no issue; secondly Cicilie, widow of Richard Rowdon, Esq. by whom he had issue Thomas, and Maurice, who married Frances, daughter to the said Richard Rowdon, Esq. and had issue; and their father dying the 22d of January, 24 Henry VIII. was succeeded by

THOMAS his eldest son, who died Sept. 19, 1534. He married first Mary, daughter of George Lord Hattings, by whom he had no issue; secondly Anne, daughter to Sir John Savage, and by her had Henry, his heir, and a daughter Elizabeth, who was married to Thomas Butler, the 10th Earl of Ormond.

Cath. (7th L.) HENRY who succeeded, by the death of King Edw. VI. the last heir male to King Henry VII. came in possession of the Castle of Berkeley, and all those other lands given to that King by Thomas Marquis of Berkeley, in prejudice of his brother Maurice, as before observed, which Lordships had been vested in the crown 61 years. He likewise by the same means possessed the ancient seat of his ancestors in Parliament; and marrying first Catharine, daughter to Henry Howard Earl of Surry, by her had two sons Thomas, and Ferdinand, who died unmarried; and four daughters of whom Frances married Sir George Shirley, and Mary married Sir John Zouch. *Jane* His second wife was Jane, daughter of Sir Michael Stanhope, widow of Sir Roger Townshend, by whom he had no issue; and died the 26th of Nov. 1613.

THOMAS the eldest son, dying in his father's lifetime, the 26th of November, 1610, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter to George Carey, the second Lord Hunsdon, George who succeeded his grandfather; and Theophila married to Sir Robert Coke.

Elizabeth (8th L.) GEORGE, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, second daughter and coheir to Sir Michael Stanhope, and had two sons, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Edward Coke, Esq. Of the sons which were Charles and George, the eldest was drowned on the 27th of Jan. 1641, in his passage towards France; whereupon

Elizabeth (1st E.) GEORGE, on the 10th of August 1658, succeeded, and in 1679, was created Viscount Dursley, and Earl of Berkeley; and died October 10, 1698. He married Elizabeth, daughter to John Messingberd, Esq. and left two sons, and six daughters; Elizabeth, Theophila, Arabella, Mary, Henrietta, and Arethusa; the latter was second wife of Charles Lord Clifford, eldest son of Richard Earl of Burlington; Elizabeth married William Smith, Esq. Theophila first to Sir Kingsmil Lucy, and secondly to Robert Nelson, Esq. Arabella to William Pulteney, Esq. being his second wife, by whom he had three daughters; and Mary to Ford Earl of Tankerville, and by him, who died June 25, 1701, had a daughter of her name, who married Charles Lord Ossulston. Of the sons of George Earl of Berkeley, which were Charles his heir, and George; the latter marrying Jane, daughter to George Cole, Esq. and dying in October 1694, left Elizabeth his

his only child, who was married to John Brome, of Tuppindén, and died on the 9th of April, 1730.

(2d E.) CHARLES was summoned to Parliament on the 11th of July, 1689, by the title of Lord Berkeley of Berkeley; and upon the death of his father he succeeded him in the Earldom; but dying in October 1710, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter to Baptist Visc. Campden, four sons and three daughters; the Ladies Mary, Elizabeth, and Penelope; the latter died at Dublin unmarried; the second was married to Sir John Germaine; and the eldest married Thomas Chambers of Hanworth, in Middlesex, Esq. Of the sons, who were Charles, James, Henry, and George, the youngest in 1735, married Henrietta Countess Dowager of Suffolk; and died in 1746. Henry, married Mary, only daughter to Henry Cornwall, Esq. and by her, who died the 25th of April, 1741, had two sons, Henry, a captain in the army, killed at the battle of Fontenoy in 1741. Lionel-Spencer, married to Margaret, daughter to Mr. James Whitfield, and hath issue two sons, Velters-Cornwall, and Henry-Spencer. He died at Bath in May, 1736. Charles the eldest dying in 1699, unmarried,

(3d E.) JAMES the second son, on the 5th of March, 1705, was summoned by writ to the House of Peers, and soon after made one of the Admirals of her Majesty's fleet; and in 1710, succeeded his father as Earl of Berkeley. His Lordship marrying the Lady Louisa Lenox, eldest daughter to Charles Duke of Richmond, by her, who died January 15, 1717, had a son Augustus, born Feb. 18, 1716, and two daughters, Lady Elizabeth, who, on the 11th of Feb. 1728, married Anthony Henley, Esq. but died in September, 1745, without issue; and Lady Louisa died young. His Lordship dying in August 1736, was succeeded by his only son

(4th E.) AUGUSTUS, late Earl of Berkeley; who married, May 7, 1744, Elizabeth, daughter to Henry Drax, Esq. and by her, who was married, 2dly, to Robert Nugent, now Earl Nugent, he had issue, Frederick-Augustus, the present Earl. James, born July 25, 1747, who died the year after. The Ladies Louisa, Elizabeth, and Frances, all three born July 28, 1748, but died soon after. Lady Georgina-Augusta, born Sept. 28, 1749, married April 20, 1766, to Lord Forbes, now Earl of Granard. Lady Elizabeth, born in December 1750, and married May 10, 1767, to William Craven, Esq. George-Cranfield, b. 1767.

field, born August 10, 1753. And his Lordship dying Jan. 9, 1755, was succeeded by his eldest son,
(5th E.) FREDERICK-AUGUSTUS, now Earl of Berkeley.

CREATIONS.] Baron by writ, June 23, 1295, the other titles, Sept. 11, 1679.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a chevron between ten crosses pattée, six above, and four below, *argent*. [Plate X.]

CREST.] On a wreath a mitre, *gules*, garnished, *or*, charged with the paternal coat.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent* the sinister having a ducal crown, and plain collar and chain, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Dieu avec nous*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Berkeley-Castle in Gloucestershire; and at Cranford in Middlesex.

BERTIE, EARL OF ABINGDON.

THE Right Hon. WILLOUGHBY BERTIE, Earl of ABINGDON, and Baron Norris of Rycote, born January 16, 1740, succeeded his father Willoughby, the late Earl, June 10, 1760. He married July 7, 1768, Charlotte, daughter of the late Sir Peter Warren, by whom he has one son, and two daughters.

The descent of this noble family is given under the title of Bertie Duke of Ancaster. Montagu Bertie the second Earl of Lindsey, by Bridget, his second wife, Baroness Norris of Rycote (widow of Edward second son of Edward fourth Earl of Dorset) daughter and sole heir to Edward Wray, Esq. third son to Sir William Wray of Glentworth, in the county of Lincoln, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heir to Francis Lord Norris, son of Henry Norris Visc. Thame, and Earl of Berkshire had a son

(1st E.) JAMES, to whom the Barony of Norris descended, who was created Earl of Abingdon. He married first Eleanor, daughter to Sir Henry Lee; by her who died the 31st of May, 1691, he had six sons and three daughters; the Lady Bridget married to Richard the fourth Visc. Bulkeley; Lady Anne to Sir William Courtenay; and

and Lady Mary died unmarried. Of the sons, who were Montagu Lord Norris, ¹James, ²Henry, ³Robert, ⁴Peregrine, and Charles; the latter married Elizabeth, daughter to the Rev. Mr. John Kerry, by whom he had issue one son, Charles; and two daughters, Elizabeth and Anne. ⁵Peregrine the fifth, was a captain in the navy, and died in 1709. ⁴Robert the fourth, married Catharine, daughter to Richard the fourth Visc. Wenman, and died August 26, 1710, without issue. ³Henry the third, married Arabella-Susan, daughter to the Lord Glennoly, widow of Marcus Visc. Dungannon. He married secondly, Mary, daughter of Peregrine Bertie, second son of Montagu Earl of Lindsey; but she died, leaving him an only daughter Susanna. He died at Bologne, in December 1735. ²James the second, born March 13, 1673, died in October 1735. He, on the 5th of January, 1692, married Elizabeth, daughter to George the 6th Lord Willoughby of Parham, and by her, who died September 26, 1715, had fourteen children, of whom, six lived to maturity. Willoughby succeeded his uncle as Earl of Abingdon; Edward died September 21, 1733; William, Henry, and John; and a daughter Bridget, married to Robert Cotymor, Esq. by whom she had issue one son, James; and two daughters Mary and Bridget. And the said James Earl of Abingdon, in 1698, married to his second wife Catharine, daughter to Sir Thomas Chamberlain, and widow of Richard the 4th Visc. Wenman, who surviving him, married Francis Wroughton, Esq. and his Lordship dying on the 22d of May, 1699, was succeeded in his honours by his eldest son (2d E.) MONTAGU, who married September 22, 1687, first, Anne, daughter and sole heir to Peter Venables (called Baron of Kinderton) of the county of Chester, who died in 1715. His Lordship, Feb. 13, 1717, married to his second wife Mary, daughter to James Gould, of Dorchester, Esq. and widow of General Charles Churchill, brother to John Duke of Marlborough, and by her, who died in January, 1756, had a son James, Lord Norris, who died February 25, 1718. His Lordship dying on the 16th of June 1743, was succeeded by his nephew

(3d E.) WILLOUGHBY, eldest son of James his next brother before-mentioned, born November 28, 1692. He married at Florence in August, 1727, Anna-Maria,

daughter of Sir John Collins, by whom he had issue, 1. James Lord Norris, who was burnt in his bed at Rycote. 2. Willoughby, the present Earl. 3. Peregrine, third son, born March 13, 1741. 4. Lady Elizabeth, married to Signor Gallini. 5. Lady Jane, married to Thomas Clifton, Esq. 6. Lady Bridget, died 1760. 7. Lady Anne. 8. Lady Eleonora, married to Philip Visc. Wenman. 9. Lady Mary, born Nov. 12, 1746. And, 10. Lady Sophia, born Nov. 6, 1748, died in 1760. His Lordship dying on June 10, 1760, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(4th E.) WILLOUGHBY, now Earl of Abingdon.

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament originally as Baron Norris of Rycote in the county of Oxford, May 8, 1572, 14 Eliz. again by descent and summons as Baron Bertie, April 12, 1675, 27 Car. II. and created Earl of Abingdon in the county of Berks, November 30, 1682, 37 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three battering-rams barways, *proper*, armed and garnished, *azure*; an annulet for difference. [Plate X.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the head and bust of a king couped, *proper*, crowned ducally, and charged on the chest with a fret, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a pilgrim, or friar, vested in russet, with his staff, and pater-noster in his hand, *or*. On the sinister, a savage wreathed about the temples and middle with ivy, *proper*; on each of their chests a fret, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Virtus ariete fortior.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Witham in Berkshire; Rycote in Oxfordshire.

NOEL, EARL OF GAINSBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS NOEL, Earl of GAINSBOROUGH, Viscount Campden of Campden, Baron Noel of Ridlington, Baron Hicks, of Ilmington, Baron Noel of Tichfield, and Baronet, succeeded his brother Baptist, the late Earl, in May, 1759.

NOEL,

NOEL, the ancestor of this family, came into England with the Conqueror, who gave him Ellenham and other lands; his son Robert Fitz-Noel, by Alice his wife, had five sons, Thomas, Philip, Robert, Richard, and John; the eldest left issue Alice, the widow of William de Harecourt, and John, the wife of Thomas Fitz-Eustace, who shared his inheritance.

From him descended ANDREW Noel, who married first Elizabeth, daughter of John Hopton, Esq. and widow of Sir John Perient, by whom he had issue four sons, Andrew, Henry, George, and William, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Anthony Faunt, Esq. and Judith, who died unmarried. His second wife was Dorothy, daughter of Richard Conyers, Esq. and widow of Roger Flower, Esq. by whom he had issue John Noel, seated at Wellesborough in Leicestershire, from whom descended Visc. WENTWORTH.

ANDREW, eldest son, married Mabel, 6th daughter of Sir James Harrington, by whom he had issue four sons, Sir Edward, Charles, who died unmarried in 1619; Arthur and Alexander, who married Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Palmer. He had also three daughters, Lucy married to William Lord Eure; Elizabeth to George Earl of Castlehaven; Theodosia to Edward Visc. Wimbleton; and dying October 19, 1607, was succeeded by his eldest son

(1st V.) Sir EDWARD, who was created Baron Noel of Ridlington. He married Juliana, eldest daughter to Sir Baptist Hicks, who was created Baron Hicks, of Ilmington, and Visc. Camden; which two last titles were granted to him and the heirs male of his body, after the death of the said Sir Baptist, (who at his proper charge, built the Sessions-house in St. John's-street, London, well known by the name of Hicks's-hall) and dying in the King's garrison in Oxford, March 10, 1643, left issue by the said Juliana his wife, who died November 25, 1680, two sons, Baptist and Henry, and two daughters; of which Elizabeth married Sir Erasmus de la Fountain, and Penelope to John Visc. Chaworth: Henry the youngest son, married Mary, daughter of Hugh Perry, Esq. who surviving him, married secondly Sir William Fermor.

(2d V.) BAPTIST the eldest son, succeeded, and died the 29th of October, 1683. He married four wives, first

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 Anne, daughter to William the first Earl of Denbigh, by whom he had three sons, who died in their infancy; by his second, who was Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Lovet, relict of the Earl of Bath, he had another son that was still-born; by his third wife Hester, daughter to Thomas Lord Wotton, he had two sons and four daughters; and by Elizabeth his fourth wife, daughter to Montagu Earl of Lindsey, he had six sons and three daughters. Of the daughters by the last wife, which were Catharine, Bridget, and Martha-Penelope, the latter was married to — Dormer, Esq. and the eldest to John the first Duke of Rutland, and Bridget died unmarried January 17, 1719. And of the sons, who were 1st, Lindsey, who died in his infancy; 2d, Baptist; 3d, John; 4th, a son who died in his infancy; 5th, James, who died at 18 years of age; 6th, a son still-born; of these John married Elizabeth, sister to Bennet the 1st Earl of Harborough, and widow to Edward the second Visc. Irwin in Scotland; and dying December 26, 1718, by her had issue three sons; John died unmarried in 1727; Thomas who married in Nov. 1756, Elizabeth, Countess Dowager of Gainsborough; and Bennet; and three daughters; Elizabeth who died unmarried; Bridget who was married to David Lord Milington, but died August 22, 1729, without surviving issue; and Alice. Of the daughters by the third wife, Mary married James the third Earl of Northampton; Julian to William Lord Allington; Hester died an infant; and Elizabeth married Charles the second Earl of Berkeley. And of the sons, which were Edward and Henry; the latter died Sept. 21, 1677; and by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Wale, left issue an only daughter Juliana, married to Charles Earl of Burlington; and

(1st E.) EDWARD, on the 29th of October, 1682, succeeded his father. He married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Thomas Wriothesley Earl of Southampton, and was on the 3d of Feb. 1681, his father then living, created Lord Noel of Tichfield, with limitation for want of issue male to the younger sons of his father Baptist Visc. Campden, and on the 1st of December 1682, he was created Earl of Gainsborough with the same limitations. By his said Lady he had one son, and four daughters; the Lady Frances married to Simon Lord Digby; Lady Jane married William Lord Digby, brother to the said Simon;

Lady

Lady Elizabeth married Richard Norton, Esq. Lady Juliana died unmarried; and their brother

(2d E.) WRIOTHESLY-BAPTIST, in 1689, succeeded his father. He married Catharine, eldest daughter to Fulk Grevile the fifth Lord Brook, and by her, who married secondly John Sheffield Duke of Buckingham, he had two daughters; Elizabeth married to Henry the first Duke of Portland; and Rachael to Henry the second Duke of Beaufort; but dying in Sept. 1690, without issue male, we return to

BAPTIST, second but eldest surviving son of Baptist Visc. Campden, by the Lady Elizabeth Bertie, his fourth wife. He married Susan, daughter and sole heir to Sir Thomas Fanshaw, and by her left a son Baptist, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Susan; and the said

(3d E.) BAPTIST succeeding Wriothesly above-mentioned, became the third Earl. He married Dorothy, daughter to John the first Duke of Rutland, and dying on the 16th of April, 1714, by her had three sons and three daughters; the Lady Susan married to Anthony-Ashley Earl of Shaftesbury; Lady Catharine, Lady Mary, died in 1718. And of the sons, which were Baptist, John, and James; the eldest, who was born May 23, 1708, succeeded his father; John died December 26, 1718, and James died in 1752. *Garth 212 n. 5217.*

(4th E.) BAPTIST married Miss Elizabeth Chapman, and by her, who married secondly in November 1756, Thomas Noel, Esq. above-mentioned, had issue, 1. Lady Elizabeth, born in 1731. 2. Lady Jane, born in 1733, married to Gerrard-Anne Edwards, Esq. 3. Lady Juliana, born in 1735, and married George Lord Carbery. 4. Lady Penelope, born in 1736, and died young. 5. Lady Anne, born in 1737. 6. Baptist, the late Earl. 7. Lady Lucy, married April 26, 1765, to Horatio Mann, Esq. 8. Thomas, the present Earl. 9. Charles, who died young. 10. Lady Mary. 11. Lady Susanna. 12. Lady Sophia. *she died 23. Feb. 1778*

(5th E.) BAPTIST, born June 8, 1740, succeeded his father March 21, 1751; but dying on his travels at Geneva in May 1759, was succeeded by

(6th E.) THOMAS, his brother, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron, March 23, 1617, Visc. Oct. 18, 1629, and Earl, Dec. 1, 1682.

[ARMS.] Or, fretty of ten pieces, *gules*, a canton, *ermine*.
[Plate X.]

[CREST.] On a wreath, a buck at gaze, *argent*; attired, *or*.

[SUPPORTERS.] Two bulls *argent*; armed and unguled, *proper*.

[MOTTO.] *Tout bien ou rien.*

[CHIEF SEAT.] At Extonbrook in the county of Rutland.

D'ARCY, EARL OF HOLDERNESSE.

THE Right Honourable ROBERT D'ARCY, Earl of HOLDERNESSE, Baron D'Arcy, Menel, and Conyers, succeeded his father Robert in Jan. 1722; and in Nov. 1743, married Mary, daughter of the Sieur Francis Doublet, one of the nobles of Holland, by whom he has had issue, 1. George, born in Sept. 1745, who died at two years of age. 2. Thomas, born May 7, 1750, and died in July following. 3. Lady Amelia, born Oct. 12, 1754, and married July 31, 1773, the Marquis of Caermarthen, eldest son of his Grace the Duke of Leeds.

This family is descended from NORMAN D'Arcy, who came into England with William the Conqueror, from him descended

Sir JOHN D'Arcy, who had summons to Parliament from the 28th of Edward I. to the 16th of Edw. III. He married first Emelina, daughter of Walter Heron; 2dly Joan, daughter of Richard Burgh Earl of Ulster, and widow of Thomas the second Earl of Kildare, by whom he had William, and Elizabeth, married to James the 2d Earl of Ormond. By his first wife he had three sons, Sir John, Sir Roger, and Adomer. From Sir Roger, 2d son, descended Thomas D'Arcy of Chiche, who in the 5th of Edward VI. was called up to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord D'Arcy, of Chiche, and died the 21st of Edward III.

Sir JOHN, his elder brother, had summons to Parliament from the 22d to the 28th of Edward III. but dying the 30th, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Menil, two sons,

JOHN,

JOHN, and Philip; of which the eldest died in his minority, and Philip his brother became heir. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Grey, by whom he had John, Thomas, and Philip, and was succeeded by John his eldest son, who marrying Margaret, daughter to Henry Lord Grey of Wilton, had two sons, Philip and John; and his wife surviving him, married secondly Sir Thomas Swinford.

PHILIP, the eldest son, married Eleanor, daughter of Henry Lord Fitz-hugh, and dying Aug. 2, 1419, before he came of age, left only two daughters, Elizabeth married to Sir James Strangeways, and Margaret to Sir John Conyers, so that

JOHN, the second son, succeeded, and married Joan, daughter to John Lord Greystock. He died 36th Hen. VI. having an only son Richard, and a daughter Joan, married to John Beaumont, Esq. Richard, married Eleanor, daughter of John Scrope, and dying in the lifetime of his father, left

WILLIAM his only son, who succeeded his grandfather. He married Eufemia, daughter of Sir John Langton, and was succeeded by his only son

THOMAS, who had the title of Baron revived to him by writ of summons to Parliament the first of Henry VIII. which title had ceased in the two daughters of Philip Lord D'Arcy afore said; but on the 20th of June, in the 30th of Henry VIII. he was beheaded on Tower-hill. He married first Elizabeth, sister of William the first Lord Sands, and had an only daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Marmaduke Conitble; but by his 2d wife Doufabella, daughter and heir of Sir Richard Tempest, he had Sir George his heir, Sir Arthur, and Richard, and a daughter Mabilla. To him succeeded

GEORGE his eldest son, who was restored in blood by King Ed. VI. He married Dorothy, daughter of Sir John Melton, and dying the 4th of Philip and Mary, left issue John his heir, and six daughters, Edith married to Sir Thomas Dawney, Agnes to Sir William Fairfax, and died without issue; Dorothy to Sir Thomas Metham; Clara died unmarried; Mary married to Henry Babington, Esq. and Elizabeth to Bryan Stapylton, Esq.

JOHN Lord D'Arcy of Aston, married Agnes, daughter of Thomas Babington, Esq. by whom he had an only son

MICHAEL, who dying in the life-time of his father, left issue by Margaret, daughter of Thomas Wentworth, Esq. John, Margaret, and Anne, married to Henry Savile, Esq.

John 8th
JOHN, the eldest son, succeeded his grandfather in 1587, as Lord D'Arcy, and died in July 1635. He married Rosamond, daughter of Sir Peter Frescheville, by whom he had issue John, Elizabeth, and Rosamond, who all died in their father's life-time unmarried. We now return to

4th
Sir ARTHUR D'Arcy, brother to George, and third son to Thomas that was beheaded; which Sir Arthur married Mary, daughter of Sir Nicholas Carew, by whom he had ten sons, and five daughters, 1. Sir Henry, who married Catharine, daughter of Sir John Fermor. 2. Thomas, of whom hereafter. 3. Sir Edward, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Astley, Esq. by whom he had three sons, Sir Robert, who married Grace, daughter of Alexander Redish; Christopher, and Carey; the rest of the ten sons of Sir Arthur, were Arthur, Nicholas, John, Francis, Charles, William, and Philip; of whom the three last died in their infancy; and of the sisters, Elizabeth married to Lewis Lord Mordaunt.

THOMAS, the second son, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Lord Conyers, who was lineally descended from Margery, daughter of Philip Lord D'Arcy, and dying Nov. 6, 1606, left issue an only son

9th
Sir CONYERS, to whom King Charles I. in the 17th year of his reign, was pleased to confirm the title, of Lord D'Arcy, as enjoyed by his ancestors. He married Dorothy, daughter to Sir Henry Bellafise, and dying in 1633, left issue six sons, 1. Conyers, his heir; 2. Sir William; Henry, married Mary, daughter of William Scrope, and had issue Philip, his heir; and others. 4. Thomas; 5. Marmaduke, died unmarried; 6. James, married Isabel, daughter of Sir Marmaduke Wyvil, by whom she had issue James D'Arcy, from whom descended James Lord D'Arcy, of Navan, in Ireland, so created August 1, 1721. Of the daughters, Barbara married Matthew Hutton, Esq. Ursula married John Shillington, Esq. Margaret, to Sir Thomas Harrison; Dorothy to John Dalton, Esq. Anne to Thomas Metcalf; Grace first to George Best, Esq. and secondly to Francis Molineux, Esq. and Mary to Acton Burnel, Esq.

(1st E.) CONYERS, who succeeded his father, married Grace, daughter to Thomas Rokeby, Esq. and had Conyers, his heir, and five daughters; Ursula married to Sir Christopher Wyvil; Elizabeth to Sir Henry Stapylton; Grace to Sir John Legard; Margaret to Sir Henry Marwood; and Anne.

(2d E.) CONYERS their brother, who succeeded, married first Catharine, daughter to Mildmay Fane, the 2d Earl of Westmoreland, by whom he had no issue; nor by his third, who was Frances, daughter to the second Duke of Somerset, and widow first of Richard the second Viscount Molineux, and secondly of Thomas Wriothesley Earl of Southampton; his fourth wife was Elizabeth, daughter of John Lord Frescheville, and widow of Philip Warwick, Esq. by whom he had likewise no issue; but by his second wife Frances, daughter to the first Earl of Berkshire, he had three sons, John, his heir-apparent, Philip, and Charles.

JOHN, who died in his father's life-time, June 7, 1688, married Bridget, only surviving daughter of Robert Lord Lexington, and left two sons Robert and Conyers, and two daughters, Elizabeth married to Sir Ralph Milbank; and Charlotte to Wardel-George Westby; Conyers the youngest son, was Knight of the Bath, and married the Lady Mary Bentinck, daughter of William Earl of Portland, relict of Algernon Earl of Essex, by whom he had no issue; and on the 12th of September, 1728, married Elizabeth, daughter to John Rotheram, Esq. widow first of Sir Theophilus Napier, and secondly of Thomas Lord Howard of Effingham, and died Dec. 1, 1758.

(3d E.) ROBERT, his elder brother, succeeded his grandfather; but died on the 20th of January, 1722. He married the Lady Frederica, eldest of the two daughters to Menhardt Schonbergh, Duke of Schonbergh in England, Duke of Leinster in Ireland, Count of the Roman Empire, and by her left the Lady Louisa-Carolina, married to William Earl of Ancram; and

(4th E.) ROBERT, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron, August 10, 1641, and Earl, Dec. 3, 1682.

ARMS.] *Azure*, semée of cross crosslets, three cinquefoils, *argent*. [Plate XI.]

CREST.

CREST.] On a wreath, a spear broken in three pieces, *or*, headed, *argent*, and banded together at their middle by a ribbon, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a tyger, *argent*; on the sinister a bull, *sable*, armed, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Un Dieu, un Roy.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hornby-castle, in Yorkshire; at Aston, Hurdwick, Patrick-Brampton, in the same county; and at Sion Hill, near Brentford, in Middlesex.

WINDSOR, EARL OF PLYMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. OTHER-HICKMAN WINDSOR, Earl of PLYMOUTH, and Baron Windsor of Badenharn, in Buckinghamshire, born May 30, 1751, succeeded his father the late Earl, in April, 1771.

WALTER Fitz-Other came into England with William the Conqueror, by whom he was made Baron and Constable of the Castle of Windsor, and keeper of the Forest; and by Beatrix his wife, had three sons, William, Robert, and Gerald; from the youngest are descended the Earls of Kildare in Ireland, the families of the Gerards in Lancashire, and the Carews of England and Ireland; from Robert, the second son, descended the Earl of Kerry. And from William the eldest, who was called William of Windsor, is descended the Earl of Plymouth. To the said William de Windsor, Maud the Empress ratified all those grants which had been made to Walter his father, by King Henry I. and to him succeeded William his son, and was father of Sir William, whose wife was Agnes, and by her had a daughter Joan, married to Sir Richard de Dray, and a son, William, who married Margaret, sister of John Derekenford, and had Sir Richard de Windsor, who married Julian, daughter to Sir Richard Stapleton, and had a son Richard de Windsor, and William. Richard the eldest son, by Julian, daughter to James Molyns, had Sir James his heir, and Sir William, who was summoned to Parliament among the Barons the 4th of Rich. II. He married the famous Dame Alice Perrers, or Pierce, favourite of King Edward III. but left no issue male.

Sir

Sir James Windsor, his elder brother, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John Strechy, and by her had Sir Miles de Windsor, who died the 11th of Rich. II. leaving issue by Alice his wife, daughter to Adam de Wymondham, or Wyndham, of Wyndham, in Norfolk, Brian de Windsor, who married Alice, daughter of Thomas Drew, Esq. and dying the 22d of Rich. II. left two sons; Miles the eldest dying unmarried, Richard his Brother succeeded. He married Christian, daughter to Richard Faulkner, Esq. and dying in the 6th of Henry VI. left a son,

MILES de Windsor, who died in Italy the 26th of Hen. VI. leaving issue by Joan, daughter to Walter Green, Esq.

THOMAS de Windsor, who died in 1485, 1st of Hen. VII. He married Elizabeth, daughter to John Andrews, Esq. and by her, who afterwards married Sir Robert Litton, had several children, of whom Margaret was the last, Priores of the Monastery of Sion.

(1st L.) Sir ANDREW Windsor, the eldest son, was in the 21st of Henry VIII. summoned by writ among the Peers. He married Elizabeth, sister to Edward Blount Lord Montjoy, and had four sons, George, Sir William, Sir Edmund, and Thomas; and four daughters; of whom Elizabeth married Sir Peter Vavasour; Anne to Sir Roger Corbet; Edyth to George Ludley, Esq. and Eleanor first to Ralph Lord Scrope, and afterwards to Edward Nevil. And of the sons, George the eldest, married Lady Ursula, sister of John Vere Earl of Oxford, by whom he had no issue, and died before his father; Sir Edmund, third son, died unmarried; Thomas, fourth son, married Mary, daughter of Thomas Bokenham.

(2d L.) Sir WILLIAM the second son, became heir. He married first Margaret, daughter to Sir William Samburne, and had seven sons, and nine daughters; of whom Elizabeth the eldest, was married first to Henry, son of Thomas Lord Sands; secondly to Sir George Powlett, and thirdly to Richard Scrope, Esq. Eleanor to Sir Christopher Brome; Bridget to Edward Ferrers, Esq. Mary to William Scot, Esq. Dorothy to Thomas Pauncefort, Esq. Anne to Lord Grey of Groby; the rest of the daughters died young, or unmarried. And of the sons, Thomas the eldest died an infant; Sir Thomas, the second son, married Dorothy, daughter of William Lord Dacres, and died in his father's life-time, without issue male. Henry, third

third son, died an infant. Andrews, fourth son, died before his father. Sir Edward, fifth son, became heir to his father. Walter, sixth son, married Margaret, daughter of Sir Geoffrey Poole, and had issue Edward and William, the youngest marrying Elizabeth, eldest daughter to William the third Earl of Worcester, had a son of his name. Sir William married secondly Elizabeth, daughter to Peter Coundray, Esq. by whom he had a son Philip, and a daughter Elizabeth, who both died without issue.

(3d L.) Sir EDWARD, the fifth but eldest surviving son, succeeded his father, was created Lord Windsor. He married Catharine, daughter to John Earl of Oxford, and left four sons and two daughters; Margaret married to John Talbot, Esq. and Catharine to Robert Audley, Esq. And of the sons, which were Frederick, Henry, Edward, and Andrews,

(4th L.) FREDERICK succeeded his father, and died unmarried; and was succeeded by

(5th L.) HENRY his brother, who died the 6th of April, 1605. He married Anne, daughter to Sir Thomas Rivet, by whom he had two sons, and five daughters; of which only one son Thomas, and two daughters, both of the name of Elizabeth, survived; of which Elizabeth sen. married to Dixie Hickman, Esq. and Elizabeth jun. married to Andrews Windsor, her kinsman; and the said

(6th L.) THOMAS her brother, succeeded his father. He married Catharine, daughter to Edward the fourth Earl of Worcester; but dying without issue, put an end to this line; and the title of Lord Windsor, was by King Charles II. in 1665, conferred on

(1st E.) THOMAS Windsor-Hickman, son of Dixie Hickman, and Elizabeth his wife, above-mentioned, and he was afterwards created Earl of Plymouth, and died in 1687. He married first Anne, sister to George Marquis of Halifax, and had a son named Other, and two daughters; Mary married to Sir Thomas Cookes; and Anne, who died an infant. And by his second, who was Ursula, daughter to Sir Thomas Widdrington, he had four sons and five daughters; of which Ursula the eldest, was married to Thomas Johnson, Esq. Elizabeth the second, was the fourth wife of Sir Francis Dashwood; the
other

other three died unmarried. And of the sons, 1. Thomas was created Visc. WINDSOR in Ireland in 1699, and Baron MONTJOY in England in 1711. 2. Dixie Windsor, Esq. born in 1678, died in October, 1730. 3. Andrews Windsor. 4. William, who died an infant.

OTHER, eldest son and heir by the first wife, died in his father's lime-time. He married Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Turvey, Esq. and by her had

(2d E.) OTHER, who in 1687 succeeded his grandfather; Henry and Anne, who both died unmarried; and in 1705 the said Other married Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Whitley, Esq. and by her, who died on the 11th of June, 1711, had two sons, Other, and Henry who was married to Mrs. Wheatley, but died in July, 1741, without issue.

(3d E.) OTHER the eldest who was born June 30, 1707, on the 26th of Dec. 1725, succeeded as Earl of Plymouth; and on the 7th of May, 1730, married the only daughter and heir of Thomas Lewis, Esq. by whom, in May, 1731, he had a son named

(4th E.) OTHER-LEWIS, who succeeded his father the 27th of November, 1732, and his mother died also in November, 1733. On the 11th of August, 1750, he married Catharine, eldest daughter of Thomas Lord Archer, by whom he had 1. Other-Hickman, the present Earl. 2. Thomas, born May 19, 1752. 3. Andrews, who died the day of his birth. 4. Henry. 5. Andrews, born May 12, 1764. 6. Lady Catharine. 7. Lady Elizabeth, who married, March 30, 1776, Gore Townshend, Esq. of Honington-Hall, in Warwickshire. 8. Lady Anne. 9. Lady Sarah. And his Lordship deceasing in April, 1771, was succeeded by his son

(5th E.) OTHER-HICKMAN, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Windsor of Bradenham in the county of Bucks, June 16, 1660, 12 Car. II. but originally, by writ of summons to Parliament, November 3, 1529, 21 Hen. VIII. and created Earl of Plymouth in the county of Devon, December 6, 1682, 34 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Gules, a saltire, argent, between twelve cross crosslets, or.* [Plate XI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a buck's head erased, *proper*, attired, *or.*

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns; *argent*, armed, crested, tufted, and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Je me fie en Dieu.*

CHIEF-SEATS.] At Hewel-grange, in the county of Worcester; at Peel-Hall in Cheshire.

LUMLEY SAUNDERSON, EARL OF SCARBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD LUMLEY-SAUNDERSON, Earl of SCARBOROUGH, Visc. and Baron Lumley, of Lumley-Castle; and Visc. Lumley of Waterford, in the kingdom of Ireland; succeeded his father Thomas, the late Earl, March 15, 1752, and married December 12, 1752, Barbara, sister to Sir George Saville, of Rufford in Nottinghamshire, Bart. by whom he had issue, 1. George-Augustus, Visc. Lumley, born Sept. 22, 1753. 2. Lady Frances Barbara Ludlow Lumley, born Feb. 25, 1756. 3. Richard, born April 3, 1757. 4. Thomas-Charles, born June 22, 1760. 5. John. 6. Frederick. 7. Mary-Arabella. Lady Scarborough, died at Bath, in Jan. 1773.

This family (which derive their surname from Lumley, a Castle on the Bank of the River Were in Durham) had their descent from Osbert de Lumley, whose son Liulph, married Alghitha, daughter to Aldred Earl of Northumberland, son of Earl Uchtred, by his wife Edgina, youngest daughter of King Ethelred II. and by her had a son named Uchtred, father of Sir William de Lumley, who married Judith, daughter to — Hefilden, and by her had another Sir William de Lumley, whose son William marrying the daughter of Sir Walter de Andrè, by her was father of Sir Roger de Lumley; who marrying Sibel, daughter to Sir Hugh de Merewic, by her he had two sons, Robert his heir, and Sir Roger.

Sir ROBERT had a son Marmaduke, who married Margaret, daughter to — Holland, and by her had Sir Robert his heir, who was succeeded by

1st La. Sir RALPH his brother, who had summons to Parliament as Lord Lumley, from the 8th of Rich. II. to the

1st of Henry IV. when he and his eldest son Thomas were both attainted of high-treason, but the same was reversed by act of parliament the 1st of Edw. IV. He died in 1399, leaving issue by Eleanor, daughter to John Lord Nevil the 1st Earl of Westmoreland, four sons, and three daughters; Elizabeth married to Adam Tyrwhitt, Esq. Margaret to Sir John Clervaux; and Catharine to Sir John Chideock. And of the sons, who were Thomas, John, William, and Marmaduke; the latter was Bishop of Lincoln, and died in 1467. Thomas the eldest son, died May 31, 1404, and was succeeded by Sir John his next brother, who was restored in blood the 13th of Henry IV. but in 1421, lost his life at the battle of Baugy in France. He married Felicia, daughter to Sir Matthew Redman, and had Thomas his heir, Edmund, and a daughter Maud, married to Sir Henry Thirkill. Sir THOMAS, who succeeded, had summons to Parliament the 1st of Edward IV. He married Margaret, daughter to Sir James Harrington, and had Sir George his heir, and three daughters; Joan married to Bertram Harbottle; Margaret to Bertram Lumley; and Elizabeth to William Tylliot, Esq. Sir George married Elizabeth, daughter to Roger de Thornton, Esq. and dying in 1508, he had issue three sons, Thomas, Roger, and Ralph.

THOMAS the eldest, died in his father's life time, 1488, and left, by Elizabeth Plantagenet his wife, natural daughter to King Edw. IV. by the Lady Elizabeth Lucy, four sons, Richard heir to his grandfather; John, George, and Roger.

RICHARD, who succeeded his grandfather, had summons to Parliament the 1st of Henry VIII. and marrying Anne, daughter to William Lord Conyers, had two sons, John his heir, and Anthony.

JOHN had summons to Parliament the 6th of Henry VIII. He married Joan, sister to Henry Lord Scroop, and had an only son George, who in 1538, was found guilty of high-treason, and suffered death in the life-time of his father. He married Jane, daughter of Sir Richard Knightly, and left a son John, and two daughters; Jane married to Jeffrey Markham, Esq. and Barbara to Humphry Lloyd.

JOHN, who was heir to his grandfather, was restored in blood, by act of Parliament the 1st of Edward VI. and created Baron of Lumley. He married 1st Jane, daughter

John
2d L.

Thos.
3d L.

Geo.
4th L.

Rich.
5th L.

John
6th L.

John
7th L.
to
Lumley

to Henry Fitz-Allen, Earl of Arundel, by whom he had issue Charles, Thomas, and Mary, who died infants; and secondly Elizabeth, daughter to John Lord D'Arcy; but dying on the 10th of April, 1609, without surviving issue, the new created Barony of Lumley expired with him. We now return to

Roger ANTHONY, second son of Richard Lord Lumley. He married a daughter of Richard Gray, Esq. and by her had Roger, who married Anne, daughter to — Kurt-wich, Esq. and by her had several sons and daughters; of which Elizabeth was married to Sir William Langley, of Higham-Gobins, in the county of Bedford, Bart. and another married Sir John Conyers of Horden. Richard the eldest son, being the chief heir male of the family, after the decease of the said John Lord Lumley, inherited the Castle of Lumley, and the estate of his ancestors. 4. Car. I. he was created Visc. Lumley, of Waterford in Ireland. He married Frances, daughter to Henry Shelley, Esq. by whom he had a son John, and a daughter Julia.

Richd JOHN dying before his father, left issue by Mary, daughter to Sir Henry Compton, two sons, and three daughters; of which Elizabeth was married to Richard Cotton, Esq. Frances, and Anne, who died unmarried. And of the sons, who were Richard, and Henry, the latter died on the 18th of October, 1722, having married first Elizabeth, daughter of *Thimbleby* Thimbleby, of the county of Lincoln, Esq. and secondly in July, 1713, Anne, daughter to Sir William Wiseman.

1st E. RICHARD his brother, who succeeded his grandfather in his Irish honour, was on the 31st of May, 1681, created Baron Lumley, and afterwards Viscount Lumley, and Earl of Scarborough. He married Frances, daughter to Sir Henry Jones, and by her had seven sons, and four daughters; Lady Mary married to George Earl of Hallifax; Lady Barbara to Charles Leigh, Esq. and died January 4, 1755; Lady Anne to Frederick Frankland, Esq. died in Feb. 1740, without issue; and Lady Henrietta died Nov. 6, 1747. Of the sons, which were Henry, Richard, William, Thomas, Charles, John, and James; John died October, 1739. Charles, August, 1728. Thomas changed his name (by act of parliament) to Saunderson, to inherit an estate left him by James Saunderson,

derfon, Earl Caſtleton, who died without iſſue, May 24, 1723. William was killed in an engagement, April 9, 1709, having both his legs ſhot off in the Mary galley; and Henry Viſcount Lumley, the eldeſt, died July 25, 1710.

(2d E.) RICHARD, Viſc. Lumley, the ſecond ſon, in 1715, was called up by writ to the Houſe of Peers as Lord Lumley; and December 1721, ſucceeded his father, and died in February, 1740, unmarried, and was ſucceeded by

(3d E.) Sir THOMAS-SAUNDERSON, his next brother, before-mentioned, who married Frances, daughter to George Earl of Orkney, by whom he had two ſons, viz. Richard, George died December 11, 1732; and three daughters; Lady Frances married in June, 1735, to Peter Earl of Ludlow; Lady Anne; and Lady Harriot, who died Nov. 6, 1747; and his Lordſhip dying March 15, 1752, was ſucceeded by his only ſon

(4th E.) RICHARD, now Earl of Scarborough.

CREATIONS.] Baron May 31, 1681, Viſcount April 10, 1689, and Earl April 15, 1690.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a feſs, *gules*, between three parrots, *proper*, collared as the *ſecond*, being the arms of the ancient Barons Thweng, from one of the heirs whereof his Lordſhip is lineally deſcended; but the ancient arms of Lumley are, *gules*, ſix martlets, *argent*. [Plate XI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, in her neſt, *proper*, a pelican feeding her young, *argent*, vulned, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two parrots, with wings expanded, *vert*, beaked and membered, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Murus æneus conſcientia ſana*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Sandbeck, in Yorkſhire; at Stanſtead, in Suſſex; at Glentworth, in Lincolnſhire.

NASSAU, EARL OF ROCHFORD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM NASSAU, Earl of ROCHFORD, Viſcount Tunbridge, Baron of Enfield, was born Sept. 17, 1717, ſucceeded his father

Frederick the late Earl, in June, 1738; and married Lucy, daughter of Edward Young, Esq. of Durnford, near Sarum, in Wiltshire. Her Ladyship died Jan. 9, 1773, without issue.

Among those noble persons who in 1688 attended King William from Holland, was

(1st E.) WILLIAM-HENRY, son of Frederick Nassau, Lord of Zulestein, (whose father was a natural son of Frederick-Henry, Prince of Orange, his Majesty's grandfather) was created a Peer of England as above. His Lordship died at Zulestein in the year 1708, having married Jane daughter to Henry Wroth, and by her had four sons and four daughters; the Lady Anne died unmarried; the Lady Mary was married to the Heer Harvelt, son to Godart-Ginkle, Earl of Athlone; Lady Elizabeth died unmarried; and Lady Henrietta the youngest, to Godart-Christian Earl of Athlone. And of the sons, Maurice the third, died in 1722; Henry the 4th died unmarried in April, 1741.

(2d E.) WILLIAM the eldest, succeeded his father; but he being killed at the battle of Almanara in Spain, in 1710, unmarried,

(3d E.) FREDERICK his brother succeeded him; and having married Bessley, daughter to Richard Savage, Earl Rivers, by her had William-Henry, and Richard-Savage Nassau, born June 1, 1723, who married December 24, 1751, Elizabeth, Duchess-Dowager of Hamilton, daughter of Edward Spencer, Esq. by whom he had a daughter Lucy; and two sons, William-Henry, born July 28, 1754; George, born Sept. 5, 1756, and his Lordship dying in June, 1738, was succeeded by

(4th E.) WILLIAM-HENRY, his eldest son, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Enfield, Visc. Tunbridge, and Earl of Rochford, May 10, 1695.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first, *azure*, semée of billets, a lion rampant, *or*; second, *or*, a lion rampant, *gules*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *azure*; third *argent*, a fess, *gules*; fourth, *gules*, two lions passant, guardant in pale, *or*; over all in an escutcheon, *gules*, three zules, *argent*, and sometimes a lion rampant, *sable*. [Plate XI.]

CREST.

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a pair of buck's horns, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions *ermineois*, ducally crowned, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Spes durat Avorum.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Loughton-Hall, and St. Osyth, in the county of Essex; and at Zulestein, in Holland.

KEPPEL, EARL OF ALBEMARLE.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE KEPPEL, Earl of ALBEMARLE, Viscount Bury, Baron Ashford of Ashford in Kent, born May 13, 1772, succeeded his father, the late Earl, October 13, 1772.

Of this family, who are descended of the nobles of Guelderland in Holland, was

(1st E.) ARNOLD JOOST VAN KEPPEL, second son of Bernard Van Pallant, Lord of Keppel. In the year 1688, attending King William into England, was by him created a Peer of England; but dying May 19, 1718, left by Isabella, daughter to General S. Gravemore in Holland, who died in December 1741, a daughter Ladia-Sophia, married to General John Thomas, and died May 25, 1773, and a son

(2d E.) WILLIAM-ANNE his heir, born June 5, 1702. On the 21st of Feb. 1723, his Lordship married the Lady Anne Lenox, daughter of the 1st Duke of Richmond, and by her had 1. George, born April 8, 1724. 2. Augustus, Vice Admiral of the Red. 3. James, who died young. 4. William, a Lieutenant-General. 5. Frederick, Bishop of Exeter; he married Miss Walpole, daughter to Sir Edward Walpole, Sept. 13, 1758, by whom he had a daughter Laura, born June 18, 1759, and a son Frederick, born Nov. 14, 1762. 6. Lady Sophia. 7. Lady Mary, both deceased. 8. Lady Anne, died in Jan. 1754. 9. Lady Nassau, deceased. 10. Thomas. 11. Edward, both deceased. 12. Lady Caroline, married to William Adair, Esq. Feb. 22, 1759. 13. Lady Elizabeth, married on June 7, 1764, to Francis Marquis of

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Tavistock,

Tavistock, and died in 1768. 14. Henry. 15. Lady Amelia, deceased; and his Lordship dying at Paris, Dec. 22, 1754, was succeeded by his eldest son

(3d E.) GEORGE, who married in April 1770, Miss Miller, daughter of Sir John Miller, Bart. by whom he had one son, born May 13, 1772, and his Lordship deceasing on the 31st of October following, was succeeded by his only son

(4th E.) GEORGE, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Earl, Viscount, and Baron, April 10, 1696.

ARMS.] *Gules*, three escallop-shells, *argent*. [Plate XI.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a demi-swan close, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, ducally crowned, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Ne cede malis*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Bagshot, in Surry; and Voorst and Loo in Holland.

COVENTRY, EARL OF COVENTRY.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE WILLIAM COVENTRY, Earl of COVENTRY, Visc. Deerhurst, succeeded his father William, the late Earl, who died March 18, 1751.

His Lordship married March 5, 1751, Maria, eldest daughter of John Gunning, Esq. by which Lady, who died Sept. 30, 1760, he had, 1. Lady Elizabeth Anne, born in 1753, died Aug. 22, 1756. 2. Lady Maria Alice, born in Dec. 1754. 3. Lady Anne Margaret. 4. George William Viscount Deerhurst, born April 28, 1758, married March 18, 1777, to Lady Catharine Henley, daughter of the late Earl of Northington.

He married secondly, August 26, 1764, Barbara, sister to the late Lord St. John of Bletsoe, by whom he has 1. John, born June 20, 1765. 2. Lady Barbara, born Jan. 1776, died an infant.

Of this family, which were long seated in the county of Warwick, was

WILLIAM

WILLIAM Coventry of Coventry, whose son John Coventry being a mercer of London, was sheriff of that city in 1416, and Lord Mayor in 1425. From him, in a lineal descent, was Vincent Coventry, whose son and heir Richard Coventry, Esq. married a daughter of ——— Turner, and had two sons, John of Cassington, and Thomas Coventry, of Croome in the county of Worcester, who in the 3d Jam. I. was made one of the Judges of the Court of Common-Pleas; but dying Dec. 12, 1606, left issue three sons, Thomas his successor; William, and Walter, ancestor of the present Earl; Margaret; Joan, married to ——— Rogers of Surry, Esq. Catharine to William Child, Esq. and Anne to George Frampton, Esq.

(1st L.) THOMAS, the eldest son, in the 1st of Charles I. was made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal. On the 10th of April 1628, he was created Lord Coventry, and died on the 14th of Jan. 1640. He married first Sarah, daughter to John Seabright, Esq. by whom he had Thomas his heir, and Elizabeth, married to Sir John Hare, and by Elizabeth, his second wife, daughter to John Aldersy, Esq. widow of William Pitchford, Esq. he had four sons, 1. John, who married Elizabeth, daughter of John Coles, Esq. widow of Herbert Dodington, Esq. by whom he had Sir John Coventry, who for his behaviour in Parliament, was attacked in the street, and had his nose cut, which occasioned passing the act, from thence called the *Coventry* act: This Sir John died unmarried. 2. Francis, who by Elizabeth, daughter of John Manning, Esq. widow of Robert Caesar, Esq. had two sons who died young, Francis, who died unmarried, and two daughters, Elizabeth married to Sir William Keyt, and Ultra-Trajectina, or Utracia, to Sir William Lacon Child. 3. Henry, who died unmarried. 4. Sir William died unmarried; and the said Lord having also, by his second wife, four daughters, Anne the eldest was married to Sir William Savile, Mary to Sir Henry-Frederick Thynne; Margaret to the first Earl of Shaftesbury; and Dorothy to Sir John Packington.

(2d L.) THOMAS, who in 1639 succeeded his father, married Mary, daughter to Sir William Craven, and dying Oct. 27, 1661, left George his heir, and Thomas Earl of Coventry.

(3d L.) GEORGE the eldest, married Margaret, daughter to the second Earl of Thanet, and had three sons

and two daughters; Anne, who died young, and Margaret, married to the second Duke of Bolton; and of the sons,

(4th L.) JOHN the eldest, (who was the only one surviving) on the 15th of December, 1680, succeeded; but he dying on the 25th of July, 1687, unmarried, his honour descended to

*ob. 1699
at 70*
ob. (1st E.) THOMAS Coventry, his father's brother; who was by King William III. created Visc. Deerhurst and Earl of Coventry, with limitation of his titles to William afterwards Earl of Coventry, and Thomas and Henry, his brothers, and their male issue, grandsons of Walter, brother of the first Lord. He married first Winifred, daughter to Peirs Edgecumbe, Esq. and had two sons Thomas and Gilbert. She dying in June, 1694, he married secondly in 1695, Elizabeth, daughter to Richard Graham, Esq. but by her, who afterwards married Thomas Savage, Esq. he had no issue.

(2d E.) THOMAS the eldest son, on the 15th of July, 1699, succeeding, married the Lady Anne, Daughter to Henry the first Duke of Beaufort, by whom he had Thomas his heir, and John, who died an infant; and dying in 1710, was succeeded by his eldest son

(3d E.) THOMAS; but he dying on the 27th of January, 1712, in the 10th year of his age, his titles descended to

(4th E.) GILBERT his uncle, who married first Dorothy, daughter to Sir William Keyt, by whom he had a daughter Anne, married to Sir William Carew; and his second wife was Anne, daughter to Sir Streynsham Masters, since married in 1752 to Edward Pitts, of Kyre; but having no issue male, and dying on the 27th of October, 1719, we return to

WALTER Coventry, Esq. brother to the 1st Lord. He had issue a son

WALTER, married to Anne, daughter of Simon Holcomb, Esq. by whom he had issue four sons, 1. Walter, who died without issue; 2. William, late Earl; 3. Thomas, who married first Mary, daughter and heir of — Green, Esq. and had issue one son Thomas, and a daughter Mary, married first to Henry Barker, Esq. and secondly to Dr. William Bearcroft. Thomas the father, married secondly Anna-Maria, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Brown,

Brown, by whom he had two sons, the Rev. Francis Coventry, who died unmarried, and George; and three daughters, Maria, and Anne-Margaret, and Elizabeth-Anne, deceased. 4. Henry, youngest son of Walter, married Anne, daughter of Mr. Coles.

(5th E.) WILLIAM, the second son of Walter, succeeded, pursuant to the limitation above-mentioned, to the titles of Viscount Deerhurst, and Earl of Coventry. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. John Allen, of the city of Westminster, by whom he had three sons, viz. Thomas Henry, died in May, 1744; George-William, the present Earl; and John-Bulkeley. His Lady died in Nov. 1738; and his Lordship dying March 18, 1751, was succeeded by his eldest surviving son

(6th E.) GEORGE-WILLIAM, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Viscount and Earl, April 26, 1697.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a fess, *ermine*, between three crescents, *or*.

CREST.] On a wreath a garb, *or*, and thereon a dunghill-cock perched, *gules*, comb, wattles, and legs, *or*. [Plate XI.]

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles, wings expanded, *argent*; membered and beaked, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Candidè & Constantè*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Crome d'Abitot, in Worcestershire.

VILLIERS, EARL of JERSEY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE-BUSSY VILLIERS, Earl of JERSEY, Viscount Villiers of Dartford, and Baron of Hoo; also Viscount Grandison in Ireland, was born June 9, 1735, and succeeded his father as Earl of Jersey Aug. 29, 1769, and also succeeded to the title of Viscount Grandison in Ireland, upon the death of the late Earl Grandison; he married March 6, 1770, Miss Fanny Twisden.

The descent of this noble family, the reader may find at large in the Peerage of Ireland, under the title of Grandison; and that

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Villiers of Hoo, and Viscount Villiers of Dartford in Kent, March 20, 1690, 3 W. and M. and Earl of Jersey, October 13, 1697, 9 W. III. and Viscount Grandison in Ireland, 1623.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a cross of St. George, *gules*, five escallop shells, *or*; a crescent for difference. [Plate XII.]

CREST.] On a wreath a lion rampant, *argent*, and ducally crowned, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent*, crowned with ducal coronets, *or*, each having a plain collar, *gules*, charged with three escallop shells of the *second*.

MOTTO.] *Fidei Coticula Crux.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Middleton-stoney, in Oxfordshire.

POULETT, EARL POULETT.

THE Right Honourable VERE POULETT, Earl POULETT, Viscount Hinton, and Baron Poulett of Hinton St. George, succeeded his brother John the late Earl, Nov. 3, 1764. He married in 1754, Mary, daughter of Richard Burr of Arlingham in Gloucestershire, Esq. and has issue two sons, 1. John Viscount Hinton, born April 7, 1756. 2. Vere, born in May, 1761.

This ancient family originally took its surname from the Lordship of Poulett in the county of Somerset.

Sir JOHN Poulett in 4 Richard II. married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to William Credie, and by her had Sir Thomas Poulett, and William, from whom is descended the present Duke of BOLTON.

Sir THOMAS, who succeeded his father, married Margaret, daughter of Henry Burton, Esq. and had issue Sir William, and John, and Elizabeth, married first to Robert Burton, Esq. and secondly to William Bygberie, Esq.

Sir WILLIAM, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter to John Deneband, of Hinton St. George, Esq. by whom he had four daughters; of which Elizabeth married to Sir John Poulett, ancestor of the Duke of Bolton; Anne to Sir William Carey; and a son

Sir

Sir AMIAS, who died in 1538. He married first Margaret, daughter of John Poulett, Esq. by whom he had no issue; secondly Laura, daughter of William Kelway, Esq. by whom he had Sir Hugh, John, and Henry; and a daughter Elizabeth, married first to John Sydenham, Esq. secondly to William Carswell, Esq. and thirdly to Henry Copleston, Esq.

Sir HUGH the eldest son, married Phillippa, daughter of Sir Lewis Pollard, by whom he had Sir Amias, Nicholas, George, and a daughter Jane, married to Christopher Copleston, Esq. and dying the 13th of Eliz. was succeeded by

Sir AMIAS his eldest son, who died in 1588. He married Margaret, daughter to Anthony Harvey, Esq. and had 1. Hugh, who died an infant. 2. Sir Anthony. 3. George. 4. Joan, married to Robert Heydon, Esq. 5. Sarah, to Sir Francis Vincent; and 6. Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and was succeeded by

Sir ANTHONY, who died in 1595. He married Catharine, daughter to Henry Lord Norris, and by her had a daughter Margery, married to John Sydenham, Esq. and two sons, John and Philip.

(1st L.) JOHN POULETT, of Hinton St. George, was created a Baron, and died March 20, 1649. He married Christian, daughter to Christopher Ken, Esq. and by her, who afterwards married John Ashburnham, Esq. had three sons, Sir John, Francis, and Amias, and five daughters; of which Florence the eldest, was married first to Thomas Smith, and secondly to Colonel Thomas Piggot; Margaret the second, married first to Dennis Rolle; secondly to Sir Richard Chomley, and thirdly to Colonel Edward Cook; Julian the third, married Sir Michael Wharton; Helen the fourth, married William, son to Sir George Wilmot; and Elizabeth the youngest, first to William Ashburnham, Esq. and secondly to Sir William Hartop.

(2d L.) JOHN succeeded his father. He married first Catharine, daughter to Horatio Lord Vere of Tilbury, widow of Sir Oliver St. John, by whom he had John his heir, and Horatio; and three daughters; Elizabeth married to Sir John Sydenham; Vere died unmarried; and Catharine married Mr. Secretary Johnson: And by his second wife Anne, daughter to Sir Thomas Brown, he had

two other sons, Amias and Charles; and four daughters, Anne, Florence, Mary, who all died young; and Margaret married to Francis Fulford, Esq. and dying in 1665, was succeeded by

(3d L.) JOHN his eldest son, who married first Essex, daughter to Alexander Popham, Esq. by whom he had two daughters; Catharine married to William Lord Lempster; and Letitia to Sir William Monson; and by his second wife Susan, daughter to Philip the fifth Earl of Pembroke, he had *a daughter, Susan; and*

4th (1st E.) JOHN his heir, who in 1706, was created Viscount of Hinton St. George, and Earl Poulett. He married Bridget, daughter to Peregrine Bertie, ^{2^d son of Montague} uncle to Robert Duke of Ancaſter, and had four sons and four daughters, the Ladies Bridget, Catharine, Susan, and Rebecca. The Lady Bridget married May 21, 1724, to ^{2^d son of} Polexfen Baſtard, of Kitley in Devonſhire, Esq. and has issue William, Edmund, and Baldwin Polexfen. Her Ladyſhip died in Aug. 1773. The Lady Catharine married June 26, 1725, to John Parker, Esq. of Saltram in Devonſhire, and has issue Henrietta, who married to Captain Redmond Kelley; Catharine, and Bridget; John, who married first to Miſs Hart, and ſecondly to Thereſa, daughter of Lord Grantham; and Montague. Lady Catharine died Auguſt 16, 1758. The ſons were, 1. John, who was called up by writ, Jan. 17, 1734. 2. Peregrine, died in October 1752. 3. Vere, now Earl Poulett. 4. Anne. His Lordſhip dying May 28, 1743, was ſucceeded by his ſon

(2d E.) JOHN, who died Nov. 3, 1764, unmarried, and was ſucceeded by

(3d E.) VERE, his brother.

CREATIONS.] Baron, June 23, 1627, Viſc. and Earl, Dec. 24, 1706.

ARMS.] *Sable*, three ſwords in pile, their points in baſe, *argent*; pomels and hilts, *or*. [*Plate XII.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, an arm embowed, and brandiſhing a broad ſword, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter ſide, a ſavage man; on the ſiniſter, a woman, both *proper*, wreathed about thier temples and loins with ivy, *vert*.

MOTTO.] *Gardez la Foy.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hinton St. George, in Somerſetſhire; and Twickenham in Middleſex.

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CHOLMONDELEY, EARL OF CHOLMONDELEY.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE JAMES CHOLMONDELEY, Earl of CHOLMONDELEY, Viscount Malpas and Viscount Cholmondeley of Namptwich, Baron of Newburgh, and also Viscount Cholmondeley of Kells, and Baron of Newburgh in Ireland, born in 1748, and succeeded his grandfather June 10, 1770.

In the account of the family of Egerton, is shewn, that WILLIAM, Baron of Malpas, had two sons, David, from whom the Duke of BRIDGWATER is descended, and

ROBERT, the ancestor of the Earl of Cholmondeley, he having the Lordship of Cholmondeley in Cheshire, assumed that surname. From him descended

HUGH Cholmondeley, who married Catharine, daughter to William de Spurstow, and had four sons, Richard his heir, William, Robert, and Thomas.

RICHARD, eldest son, who lived in the reigns of Edw. II. and III. had a son Richard, who had a son Richard, who dying without issue, 35 Edw. III. and was succeeded by his great uncle

WILLIAM, second son of Hugh, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Brereton, had Richard, who married first Anne, daughter to John Bromley, Esq. and secondly Alice, daughter to Richard de Henhull; and had a son William, who died before him, leaving issue by Maud, daughter to Sir John Cheney, two sons, Richard, heir to his grandfather, and John

RICHARD, who succeeded, dying the 4th of Hen. VII. left issue by Ellen, daughter to John Davenport, Esq. Richard his heir, who married Eleanor, daughter to Sir Thomas Dutton, father of another

RICHARD, who died the 30th of Hen. VII. He married first Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Roger Corbett, and had an only daughter Maud, who was married to Sir Peter Newton; but by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Randel Brereton, of Malpas, he had two sons and three daughters; Catharine, Agnes, and Ursula; of whom the latter was married to Thomas Stanley, Esq. Agnes to Randel Manwaring, Esq. and the eldest to Richard Preistland, Esq. And of the sons, who were
Hugh

Hugh and Randal; the latter died without issue 25th April 1563.

Sir HUGH the eldest, died on the 6th of Jan. 1597. He married Anne, daughter to George Dorman of Malpas, and had three sons, and a daughter Frances, married to Thomas Wilbraham, Esq.

Sir HUGH, the eldest and only surviving son, succeeded him; and died on the 23d of July, 1601. He married Mary, daughter to Christopher Holford, Esq. and had five sons and three daughters; Mary married to Sir George Calverley; Lettice to Sir Richard Grosvenor; and Frances to Peter Venables, called Baron of Kinderton. Of the sons, which were Robert, Hatton, Hugh, Thomas, and Francis; the latter died in his infancy; Hatton died in 1605; Thomas was seated at Vale-Royal, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter and heir to John Minchall, Esq. by her had Thomas his heir, and two daughters; Mary to Thomas Myddleton, Esq. and Catharine to Charles Manwaring, Esq. and Thomas, their brother, married first Jane, daughter to Sir Lionel Talmash, and had Robert his heir, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Sir Thomas Vernon; and Mary to John Egerton, Esq. He married secondly Anne, daughter to Sir Walter St. John, and by her had two sons, Charles, who succeeded his brother; Robert Seymour, who married Elizabeth, daughter to John the first Lord Ashburnham, widow of Robert Cholmondeley of Holford, Esq. and a daughter Johanna, married to Amos Meredith. Robert, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, sister to Sir Thomas Vernon, and by her had a daughter of her name, who was married to John Atherton, Esq. but having no issue male, the estate devolved on Charles his brother, of Vale-Royal, who died March 1756, having married Essex, sister to Thomas late Earl of Londonderry, and by her had a son Thomas, also four daughters, Essex married in August 1732, to the third son of Colonel William Meyrick; Jane, Mary, and Elizabeth. We now return to

(1st V.) ROBERT, the eldest of the three sons of Sir Hugh and Mary Holford, before-mentioned, who by King Charles I. was created Viscount Cholmondeley of Kells in Ireland; and afterwards was in 1645, created Lord Cholmondeley of Wich-Malbank, alias Namptwich. On the 5th of March, the 22d of Charles I. he was created Earl of Leinster in Ireland; and married Catharine,
second

second daughter and coheir to John Lord Stanhope; but died on the 2d of October, 1659, without lawful issue. He was succeeded by

1781 in Eng
ROBERT his nephew, the son of Hugh his brother, (by Mary his wife, daughter to Sir John Bodvile, and was on the 29th of March, the 13th of Charles II. created Viscount Cholmondeley, of Kells. He married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to George Cradock, Esq. and dying in May, 1681, left two sons, and a daughter of her name, married to John Egerton of Egerton, Esq. and of her brothers, who were

2 29
(1st E.) HUGH, and George, the eldest succeeded his father in his Irish honour; and was created Lord Cholmondeley of Namptwich, with limitation, for want of issue male, to George his brother; and also Viscount Malpas, and Earl of Cholmondeley, with limitation as before; but dying unmarried Jan. 18, 1725,

ok 1733
(2d E.) GEORGE his brother, became heir, who was March 15, 1715, created Baron of Newburgh in the county of Wexford. On the 2d of July 1716, he was created baron of Newburgh in the isle of Anglesea. He married Elizabeth, daughter to the Heer Van Ruytenburgh in Germany, and by her (who died in January 1722) he had two sons and three daughters, the Ladies Henrietta, Elizabeth, and Mary; of whom, Lady Elizabeth was married in January, 1731, to Edward Warren, Esq. Of the sons, which were George and James, the latter married the Lady Penelope Barry, daughter to James late Earl of Barrymore, and died in October 1773 *from which he lived separate* *subd 2d his father in 1733*

(3d E.) GEORGE the eldest, married in 1723, Mary, only daughter to Sir Robert Walpole, Earl of Oxford, and by her, who died in 1732, he had issue, 1. George, late Viscount Malpas, born October 17, 1724, married Jan. 19, 1747, to Hester, daughter and heir of Sir Francis Edwards, Bart. he died March 15, 1764, and left issue a son and a daughter, George-James, the present Earl, and Hester, born in 1755, married to William Clapcot Lisle, Esq. 2. Robert, born Nov. 2, 1727, Rector of St. Andrew's in Hertford, &c. he married Miss Mary Woffington, by whom he has had issue, 1. George-James. 2. Horace. 3. Robert. 4. Harriot. 5. Jane. 6. Margaret. 7. Hester-Frances. 8. Frederick, who died an infant. And his Lordship deceasing June 10, 1770, was succeeded by his grandson,

(4th E.) GEORGE-JAMES the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baronet May 22, 1611, 9 Jac. I. Viscount Cholmondeley of Kells, in the county of East-Meath in Ireland, March 29, 1661, 13 Car. II. Baron Cholmondeley of Wich-Malbank, alias Namptwich, in the county of Chester, April 10, 1689, 1 W. and M. Viscount Malpas, and Earl of Cholmondeley, both in the county of Chester, Dec. 27, 1706, the 5th of Queen Anne; Baron of Newburgh, in the county of Wexford, in Ireland, March 15, 1715, 1 George I. and on the 2d of July, 1716, Baron of Newburgh, in the isle of Anglesea in Wales.

ARMS.] *Gules*, two helmets in a chief, *proper*, garnished, *or*; in base, a garb of the *third*. [Plate XII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a demi-gryphon rampant, *sable*, beaked, winged, and membered, *or*, holding a helmet, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *sable*; its beaks, wings, and fore-legs, *or*. On the sinister, a wolf of the *second*, gorged with a collar *perlew*, *vair*.

MOTTO.] *Cassis tutissima virtus.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Cholmondeley, in the county of Chester; and Roehampton in Surry.

HARLEY, EARL OF OXFORD AND MORTIMER.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD HARLEY, Earl of Oxeord and Earl Mortimer, and Baron Harley of Wigmore, was born Sept. 2, 1726, succeeded his father Edward, April 11, 1755; and married, July 11, 1751, Susannah, daughter of William Archer, of Welford in Berkshire, Esq.

The family of Harley, took its surname from the Lordship of Harley, in the county of Salop, where it flourished in the earliest ages.

Sir JOHN de Harley possessed of Harley Castle and Manor, married Alice, daughter of Sir Titus de Leighton, by Letitia his wife, niece to William de Valence, Earl of Pembroke, and had issue

GEOFFREY de Harley, who lived in the reign of King Henry VI. and by Julian, daughter to Sir John Burley, Kt. of the Garter, had

Sir

Sir JOHN his heir, who was the ancestor of

ROBERT, who at the coronation of King Charles I. was made Knight of the Bath. He married first Anne, daughter to Charles Barret, Esq. secondly Mary, daughter to Sir Francis Newport, by neither of which he had any surviving issue; but by his third wife Brilliana, daughter to Edward Visc. Conway, he had three sons and four daughters. The sons were, Sir Edward, Sir Robert, and Thomas.

Sir EDWARD the eldest, married first Mary, daughter of Sir William Button, by whom he had four daughters; Brilliana married to Alexander Popham, Esq. Martha to Mr. Samuel Hutchins, Merchant in London; and two who died young. He married secondly Abigail, daughter to Robert Stevens, Esq. and had four sons, and a daughter of her name, who died October 4, 1726. And of the sons, which were Robert, Edward, Nathaniel, and Brian; the latter died young; Nathaniel was bred a merchant, and died at Aleppo in Jan. 1720; Edward, the second son, died Aug. 30, 1735. He married Sarah, third daughter, of Thomas Foley, Esq. by whom he had, 1. Edward, late Earl of Oxford; 2. Robert, who died an infant; 3. Robert, 4. Abigail, married to John Verney, Esq. *Maslen of*

(1st E.) ROBERT, the eldest son of Sir Edward, who in December, 1700, succeeded his father, was May 1711, created a Peer. By his second wife Sarah, daughter to Thomas Middleton, Esq. he had no issue; but by his first, who was Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Thomas Foley, Esq. he had Edward his heir, and two daughters; the Lady Elizabeth, married to Peregrine-Hyde Osborne, late Duke of Leeds; and the Lady Abigail to George Hay, Earl of Kinnoule; and their father dying on the 21st of May, 1724, in the 64th year of his age, was succeeded by

(2d E.) EDWARD, his only son, who married in 1713, the Lady Henrietta Cavendish Holles, only daughter and heir to John Duke of Newcastle, by her, who died Dec. 8, 1755, he had issue *a son who died an infant and* only one daughter, the Lady Margaret Cavendish, born Feb. 11, 1714, and married to William Duke of Portland. His Lordship dying in June, 1741, without issue male, was succeeded in his honours (according to the limitation of the patent) by his cousin Edward Harley, Esq. eldest son of Edward Harley before-mentioned.

(3d E.) EDWARD, the late Earl, married in March, 1725, Martha, eldest daughter of John Morgan of Tredgar, by whom he had Edward, the present Earl; Robert born Sept. 10, 1727, died Jan. 12, 1760; John, born Sept. 29, 1728, Archdeacon of Salop, married Miss Vaughan; Thomas, born Aug. 24, 1730, married March 15, 1754, to Miss Bangham, daughter to Edward Bangham, Esq. by whom he had issue, 1. Edward. 2. Martha. 3. Anne. 4. Sarah. 5. Elizabeth. William, born May 30, 1733, Lady Martha, born Nov. 23, 1736, married April 20, 1764, to Charles Milborne, Esq. and Lady Sarah, who died in April 1737. His Lordship dying April 11, 1755, was succeeded by his eldest son

(4th E.) EDWARD, now Earl of Oxford.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Harley of Wigmore, in the county of Hereford, Earl of the city of Oxford, and Earl Mortimer, May 24, 1711, the 10th of Queen Anne.

ARMS.] Or, a bend cottised, *sable*. [Plate XII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a castle, *argent*, tripple towered, with a demi-lion rampant, *gules*, issuing out of the battlements of the middle tower.

SUPPORTERS.] Two angels, *proper*, the habit and wings displayed, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Virtute & Fide*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Eyewood and Brampton-Brian-Castle, in the county of Hereford.

SHIRLEY, EARL FERRERS.

THE Right Hon. WASHINGTON SHIRLEY, Earl FERRERS, Viscount Tamworth, and Baronet, succeeded his brother Lawrence May 5, 1760, and ~~married~~ married, *Miss Elliot of Plymouth*.

The family of Shirley is descended from

SEWALLIS, whose residence, at the time of the Conquest, was at Ettington in the county of Warwick. He was the ancestor of

RALPH Shirley, who by Margaret, sister and heir of Thomas Stanton, of Stanton-Harold, in the county of Leicester, had a son John, who in his mother's right became possessed of Stanton-Harold. He married Eleanor, daughter to Sir Hugh Willoughby, and had six sons, of which

Sir RALPH Shirley married four wives; by the first and third he had no issue. By Elizabeth, his second, daughter to Thomas Walsh, Esq. he had an only daughter Anne, married to Sir Thomas Pulteney. By Joan, his 4th wife, daughter to Sir Robert Sheffield, he had

FRANCIS, his heir, who marrying Dorothy, daughter of Sir John Gifford, relict of John Congreve, Esq. had three sons, John, Edward, and Ralph; and three daughters; Cassandra, married to Walter Powtrel, Esq. Elizabeth, to Thomas Cotton, Esq. and Anne, to John Brooke, Esq. and

JOHN their eldest brother, died before his father, leaving issue by Jane, daughter to Thomas Lovet, Esq.

(1st Bart.) GEORGE, who succeeded his grandfather, and 9 James I. was created a Baronet. He married first Frances, daughter to Henry the 7th Lord Berkeley. Secondly, Dorothy, daughter to Thomas Wroughton, Esq. relict of Sir Henry Unton, by whom he had no issue. By his first wife he had four sons, and a daughter Mary, who died unmarried; the two eldest sons, John and George, died young; Sir Thomas the youngest, who was knighted May 22, 1622, married Mary daughter to Thomas Harpur, Esq. and their father dying April 27, 1622, was succeeded by his third but eldest surviving son

(2d Bart.) Sir HENRY, who marrying Dorothy, daughter of Robert Devereux Earl of Essex, favourite of Queen Elizabeth, they from that marriage have since quartered the royal arms of England, being thereby descended from Anne Plantagenet, daughter of Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester, and sister and coheir to Humphry Plantagenet, Earl of Buckingham, who died unmarried. By the said Dorothy, who afterward married William Stafford, Esq. he had two sons, Charles and Robert, and a daughter Lettice, who married to Colonel William Bourk, the 8th Earl of Clanickard.

(3d Bart.) Sir CHARLES, the eldest son, succeeded his father, but he dying unmarried,

(4th Bart.) Sir ROBERT his brother became heir. He married Catharine, daughter to Humphry Okeover, Esq. and had three sons, Sewallis, who died an infant; Sir Seymour, his successor, and Robert; and two daughters; Dorothy, married to George Vernon, Esq. and Catharine first to Peter Venables, Esq. commonly

monly called Baron of Kinderton, and was mother of Anne, late Countess of Abingdon, and of Catharine, wife of Robert Shirley, Esq. of whom hereafter.

(5th Bart.) Sir SEYMOUR, who succeeded his father, married Diana daughter to Robert Bruce, Earl of Ailebury, and by her, who afterwards married John Duke of Rutland, had a son; but he dying young soon after his father, the honour descended to his uncle. *brother of Sir Seymour*

(1st E.) ROBERT, who on the 14th of December, 1677, 29 Car. II. was summoned to Parliament by the title of *26. 1718.* Lord Ferrers of Chartley, as grandson and heir to Dorothy, sister and coheir to Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, and Baron Ferrers of Chartley; he was 10 of Anne, advanced to the dignity of Visc. Tamworth, and Earl Ferrers. He married first Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Lawrence Washington, Esq. by whom he had ten sons, and seven daughters; and by his second, who was Selina, daughter to George Finch, Esq. he had five sons, ¹Robert, born May 27, 1700, died in July 1738, unmarried; ²George, who died an infant; another ³George, born in 1705; ⁴Sewallis, born in 1709, and died in Nov. 1758; and ⁵John, born in 1712; and five daughters; the Lady Selina married to Peter Bathurst, Esq. the Lady ²Mary to Charles Tryon, Esq. the Lady ³Anne to Sir Robert Furness; the Lady Frances, and the Lady ⁴Stuarta. Of the daughters by the first wife, which were the Ladies Elizabeth, Catharine, Elizabeth, Anne-Eleanora, Catharine, ⁶Dorothy, and Barbara; the two eldest died in their infancy; the 3d married Walter Clarges, Esq. the Lady ⁶Dorothy, married John Cotes, Esq. Lady Anne-Eleanora died in May, 1754; and the last Lady Catharine died in October 1736. The sons by the first wife, were ¹Robert; ²Washington, *second Earl*; ³Charles, who died an infant; ⁴Lewis died unmarried; ⁵George died young, as did ⁶Charles; Ferrers died unmarried; ⁸Walter died young; ⁹Henry, third Earl; and Lawrence; whereof

* ROBERT the eldest married first Catharine, daughter to Peter Venables, who dying, *without issue* he took to his 2d wife Anne, *pa. 254* daughter to Sir Humphry Ferrers, of Tamworth-Castle, and dying on the 25th of Feb. 1699, left three sons, and a daughter Elizabeth, Countess of Northampton, who was mother of the Baroness Ferrers of Chartley, and died in March 1740; but of the sons, which were Robert Visc.

Tamworth, who died in July 1714; Ferrers, and Thomas; none of them surviving their grandfather, who died Dec. 25, 1717.

Φ (2d E.) WASHINGTON, their uncle who was born June 22, 1677, succeeded to the title of Earl Ferrers. He married Mary, daughter to Sir Richard Levinz, and dying on the 14th of April, 1729, left three daughters his coheirs; whereof the Lady Elizabeth, on the 24th of June, 1725, married Joseph Gascoigne Nightingale, Esq. but died in August 1731; the Lady Selina married Theophilus Hastings, Earl of Huntingdon; and the Lady Mary, on the 29th of June, 1730, married Thomas Needham, Visc. Kilmurry; but their father dying without issue male, April 14, 1729, was succeeded by

† (3d E.) HENRY, his next surviving brother, who was born April 14, 1691, and dying in August 1745, unmarried, we return to

LAURENCE, his brother, who married Anne, fourth daughter to Sir Walter Clarges, Bart. by whom he had Laurence, the late Earl Ferrers; Washington, the present Earl; Robert; Walter; and Thomas, who married March 30, 1773, the widow of Sir Stephen Anderson; and two daughters Elizabeth and Anne.

(4th E.) LAURENCE, who succeeded his uncle, and was married September 16, 1752, to Mary, daughter of Amos Meredith, Esq. but having shot Mr. Johnson, his own steward, in January, 1760, in April following he was tried by his Peers in Westminster-Hall, and found guilty of wilful murder, for which crime he was on the 5th of May, hanged at Tyburn. Upon the death of this Lord the title and estate descended to his next brother,

(5th E.) WASHINGTON, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baronet May 22, 1611, 9 Jac. I. Viscount Tamworth in the county of Stafford, and Earl Ferrers, Sept. 3, 1711, the 10th of Queen Anne.

ARMS] Paly of six, *or* and *azure*; a canton, *ermine*. [Plate XII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the bust of a Saracen fide-faced and couped, *proper*; wreathed about the temples, *or* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a talbot, *ermine*, his ears, *or*, and his ducal collar, *gules*; on the sinister a rein-deer, of the last, attired, *argent*; gorged with a ducal coronet of the third, billeted, *or*.

MOTTO.

MOTTO.] *Honor virtutis præmium; & malgre l'envie.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stanton-Harold, in Leicestershire; Aftwell, in Northamptonshire; and Chartley-Castle, in Staffordshire.

WENTWORTH, EARL OF STRAFFORD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM WENTWORTH, Earl of STRAFFORD, Viscount Wentworth, of Wentworth-Woodhouse, Baron of Stainborough, Raby, New-marsh, and Oversley, and Baronet; succeeded his father Thomas, the late Earl, in Nov. 1739; and married, April 28, 1741, the Lady Anne Campbell, second daughter to John, late Duke of Argyll, by whom he has no issue.

The name of Wentworth is of Saxon original, and taken from the Lordship of Wentworth in the county of York, where at the time of the Conquest, lived Reginald de Winteworde, as it is spelt in Doomſday-Book.

ROBERT de Wentworth, in the reign of King Henry III. married Emma, daughter to William Woodhouse of Woodhouse in that county, (which seat afterwards, by the name of Wentworth-Woodhouse, became their chief residence) from him descended

WILLIAM, whose wife was Isabel, daughter and coheir of William Pollington, Esq. and by her he had two sons William and John. William the eldest, was the ancestor of (1st Bart.) WILLIAM, who 9 Jan. I. was created a Baronet, and died in 1614. He married Anne, daughter to Sir Robert Atkins, and by her, who died in 1611, had eight sons and three daughters; Anne was married to Sir George Savile; Margaret to Sir Richard Hutton; and Elizabeth to the 3d Earl of Roscommon. The sons were, 1. John, who died young. 2. Thomas. 3. William. 4. Robert. 5. Michael. 6. Matthew. 7. Philip. 8. Sir George.

(2d Bart. and 1st E.) THOMAS, the eldest surviving son, succeeded his father. On the 22d of July, 4 Char. I. 1628 he was created Baron Wentworth of Wentworth-Woodhouse; and on the 10th of December following, Viscount Wentworth, and 12th of January, 15 Char. I. he was 1639 created Baron of Raby, and Earl of Strafford, and suffered on Tower-Hill, the 12th of May, 1641. He married first Margaret, daughter to Francis Clifford Earl of Cumberland

land, by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Arabella, daughter to John Holles Earl of Clare, by whom he had a son William, and two daughters; the Lady Anne, married to Edward Watfon the 2d Lord Rockingham; and Arabella, to Justin Maccarty, son of the Earl of Clancarty; and his third wife was Elizabeth daughter to Sir Godfrey Rhodes, *by her he had Thomas who died young & Mary who died young*

(2d E.) WILLIAM his son, born June 8, 1626, was on the 1st of December 1665, restored to all his father's honours. He married first the Lady Henrietta-Mary Stanley, daughter to James Earl of Derby; his second wife was Henrietta de Roye de la Rochefoucauld, (which Lady died Nov. 11, 1732) and dying Oct. 16, 1695, without issue, all the honours expired, except the Barony of Raby, which Thomas Earl of Strafford had taken out with limitation, in failure of heirs male, to his younger brothers; we now return to

1 Sir WILLIAM Wentworth, *2d son of 2d Lord W. Strafford, ho. m. g. b. & d. 1693* who married Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Savile, Esq. and by her had Sir William his heir, and Thomas who died young; also Anne, married to Edward Skinner, Esq.

2 Sir WILLIAM the eldest son, married Isabella, daughter of Sir Allen Apsley, by whom he had five sons, and six daughters; and died in July, 1693. Of the daughters, Elizabeth died young; Frances-Arabella married Walter Lord Bellew; Anne was married to James Donolan, Esq. and died in August, 1735; Isabella married Francis Arundel, Esq. Mary died young; and Elizabeth the youngest, married John Lord Arundel of Trerice. And of the sons, who were William, Thomas, Peter, Paul, and Allen; the latter was killed Oct. 23, 1702, at the siege of Liege; Paul was killed at the siege of Namur in 1695; and William the eldest, died in Flanders in 1693, unmarried; Peter, 3d son, married Juliana, only daughter of Thomas Hoard, Esq. and had eleven children, all of whom died young, or unmarried, except Henrietta, married to Thomas, son of Francis Arundel, Esq. above-mentioned; and William, who married Susanna, daughter of John Slaughter, Esq. by whom he has a son Frederick-Thomas, and two daughters, Carolina and Augusta.

3 (3d E.) THOMAS, second but eldest surviving son of Sir William, on the death of William Earl of Strafford his cousin, in 1695, inherited the Barony of Raby, by reason of its limitation, and on Sept. 4, 1711, was created Baron of

of Stainborough, Visc. Wentworth of Wentworth-Woodhouse, and Earl of Strafford, with remainder to his brother Peter Wentworth, Esq. and his issue male. On Sept. 6, 1711, he married Anne, daughter to Sir Henry Johnson, and by her, who died Sept. 19, 1754, he had one son, and three daughters, viz. William; the Lady Anne, who, in April, 1733, was married to William Conolly, Esq. Lady Lucy married in 1748, to General George Howard; and Lady Harriot married in Dec. 1743, to James Vernon, Esq. His Lordship dying in November 1739, was succeeded by

4 (4th E.) WILLIAM, his only son now Earl of Strafford.

CREATIONS.] Baron Raby, Jan. 12, 1640, Viscount and Earl, Sept. 4, 1711.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a chevron between three leopards heads, *or*. [Plate XII.]

CREST.] On a wreath a gryphon passant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *argent*; on the sinister, a lion, *or*.

MOTTO.] *En Dieu est tout*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Wentworth-Castle in Yorkshire; at Boughton in the county of Northampton; at Twickenham in Middlesex.

LEGGE, EARL OF DARTMOUTH.

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM LEGGE, Earl and Baron of DARTMOUTH, Viscount Lewisham, succeeded William, the late Earl, his grandfather, Dec. 15, 1750, and married, Jan. 11, 1755, Frances Catharine, sole daughter and heir of the late Sir Charles Gounter-Nicholl, knight of the Bath, by whom he has issue, 1. George, Lord Visc. Lewisham, born Oct. 3, 1755. 2. William, born Feb. 4, 1757. 3. Charles, born May 18, 1759. 4. Heneage, born May 7, 1761. 5. Henry, born Jan. 23, 1765. 6. A son born Oct. 25, 1766. 7. A son, born Dec. 18, 1767.

Of this family, which were long seated at Legges-Place, near Tunbridge in Kent, was

THOMAS Legge, who was Lord Mayor of London in 1346 and 1353. From him descended

x 3 sons WILLIAM Legge, who married Elizabeth, daughter to George Sir William WASHINGTON, and had three sons *x* and two daughters; Mary married Sir Henry Goodricke, and Susanna to Thomas Bilson, of Maple-Durham, in Hampshire, Esq. and had issue Leonard Bilson, Esq. and Thomas, the latter of whom died by a fall from his horse, and the former died in 1715, and left his whole estate to Thomas Bettesworth, Esq. who took the name of Bilson, and in failure of heirs male to Henry Legge, Esq. 4th son of William Earl of Dartmouth, taking the name of Bilson, who succeeded to the said estate by the death of the said Thomas Bettesworth, Esq.

ob. 1691 (1st L.) GEORGE the eldest, succeeding his father, was in 1682, created Baron of Dartmouth. He married Barbara, daughter to Sir Henry Archbold, and had William his heir, and seven daughters; Mary married to Philip eldest son of Sir Christopher Musgrave, and after his decease to John Crawford, Esq. and died Feb. 25, 1753; Elizabeth, Barbara, Susanna, and Anne, the 5th and 6th died infants.

1691 (1st E.) WILLIAM, born Oct. 14, 1672, succeeded his father, and was created, Sept. 5, 1711, Earl of Dartmouth. He married in July 1700, the Lady Anne, daughter to Heneage Earl of Ailesford; and by her who died Nov. 30, 1751, had six sons; 1. George. 2. Heneage, born in 1734, married Catharine, daughter of Mr. Jonathan Fogg, and died August 28, 1759, and his Lady in November following. 3. William died an infant. 4. Henry Bilson, born in March, 1708, married the 3d of Sep. 1750, the only daughter and heir of Edward Lord Stawel. 5. Edward. 6. Robert, died in his minority. His Lordship had also two daughters, Lady Barbara married to Sir Walter Bagot; and Lady Anne married in Oct. 1739, to Sir Lister Holte.

GEORGE Visc. Lewisham, died August 29, 1732. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arthur Kaye, and by her, who after his decease married Francis now Earl of Guildford, had a daughter that was still-born, a son Arthur, who died Oct. 6, 1729, Elizabeth, and Anne married on Nov. 23, 1760, to James Brudenell, brother to the Duke of Montagu; and

(2d E.) WILLIAM the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron of Dartmouth, in the county of Devon, Dec. 2, 1682, 34 Car. II. Viscount Lewisham

Lewisham in the county of Kent, and Earl of Dartmouth, Sept. 5, 1711, the 10th of Queen Anne.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a buck's head caboshed, *argent*. [Plate XIII.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a plume of five ostrich feathers, party-par-pale, *argent* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, *argent*, semee of fleurs-de-lis, *sable*, and crowned as the crest. On the sinister, a buck, *argent*, semee of mullets, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Gaudet tentamine virtus.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Sandwell-Hall in Staffordshire; at Black-Heath in Kent.

BENNET, EARL OF TANKERVILLE.

THE Right Honourable CHARLES BENNET, Earl of TANKERVILLE, Baron of Ossulston, born Nov. 15, 1743, succeeded his father Charles the late Earl, Oct. 27, 1767. His Lordship married in October, 1771, Elizabeth, daughter of the late Sir James Colebrook, Bart. by whom he has a son, born April 29, 1776.

Of this family, which were anciently seated at Clopcot near Wallingford, Berks, was

THOMAS Bennet, Esq. who had issue by Anne Molines, Richard his heir, and Sir Thomas who was Lord Mayor of London in 1603, and married Mary, daughter of Robert Taylor, Esq. and had three sons, Simon, Richard, and John, and two daughters, Anne, married to William Duncombe, Esq. and Margaret to Sir George Croke. Simon the eldest son, was created a Baronet July 17, 1627. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arthur Ingram. Richard 2d son, married Elizabeth, daughter of William Cradock, Esq. and by her, who after his decease married Sir Heneage Finch, had Simon Bennet, Esq. who marrying Gratiosa, daughter of Gilbert Morewood, had three daughters his coheirs, Elizabeth married to Edward Osborn, Lord Latimer; Grace to John Bennet, Esq. and Frances to ^{James} the 3d Earl of Salisbury.

RICHARD, eldest son of Thomas, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Tisdale, Esq. and had four sons, 1. Ralph his heir. 2. Sir John, ancestor of the Earl of Tankerville. 3. Thomas. 4. Walter.

Sir

Sir JOHN, the second son, died in 1627, having married Anne, daughter to Christopher Weeks, Esq. and had three sons, Sir John, Sir Thomas, and Matthew; Sir Thomas married first Charlotte, daughter of William Harrison, and had two daughters, who died unmarried; secondly Thomafine, daughter and coheir of George De-thick, Esq. and had a son Thomas, who married Martha, daughter of John Smith of Tidworth, Esq. Matthew, third son of Sir John, died unmarried.

Sir JOHN the eldest succeeded his father. He married Dorothy, daughter to Sir John Crofts, and had six sons and two daughters, Dorothy married to Benjamin Bacon; and Elizabeth married to Sir Robert Carr. * And of the sons, who where John, Henry, Robert, Charles, Thomas, and Edward; the second, in 1672, was created Earl of ARLINGTON, but died without issue male, leaving only one daughter, the Lady Isabella, Countess of Arlington in her own right; Charles, the third, married Anne, daughter of Richard Wigmore, Esq. and had a son and two daughters; Robert, Thomas, and Edward, died without issue.

(1st L.) JOHN the eldest, was created Baron of Offulston, and died in 1688. He married first Elizabeth, Countess of Mulgrave, but by her had no issue; secondly Bridget, daughter to John Howe, Esq. by whom he had Charles his heir, and Annabella, married to the sixth Earl of Exeter.

(1st E.) CHARLES, who succeeded, was created Earl of Tankerville ~~in July, 1695~~. He married the Lady Mary, only daughter to Ford, Lord Grey of Wark, ^{who was} and Earl of Tankerville, ¹⁶⁹⁵ and dying on the 21st of May, 1722, left issue four sons and three daughters; the Ladies Bridget, Mary, and Annabella, of which the latter married to William Poulett, Esq. the second to William Wilmer, Esq. and the Lady Bridget to John Earl of Portsmouth. Of the sons, who were Charles, John, Henry, and Grey; the youngest died Nov. 19, 1724; the second died an infant, and the third died also unmarried; but

(2d E.) CHARLES, the eldest, succeeded his father; and marrying Camilla, daughter to Edward Colville, Esq. who died June the 13th, 1750, aged 105, had two sons and one daughter, viz. 1. Charles Lord Offulston; 2. Lady Camilla, married January 14, 1754, to Gilbert Fane Fleming, Esq. son to Governor Fleming, Esq.

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Esq. 3. George, born in 1727; and his Lordship dying March 14, 1753, was succeeded by his eldest son

(3d E.) CHARLES. He married on the 23d of September, 1742, Alicia, third daughter of Sir John Astley, and by her, who died Oct. 8, 1775, had Charles now Earl; John-Grey, who died in the second year of his age; Lady Camilla-Elizabeth married to Count Donhoff, a Polish Nobleman; and Lady Frances-Alicia, and Henry Astley, born April 3, 1752. And his Lordship deceasing Oct. 27, 1767, was succeeded by his son

(4th E.) CHARLES the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Ossulston, in Middlesex, Nov. 24, 1682, and Earl of Tankerville, a castle in Normandy, Oct. 19, 1714.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a bezant between three demi lions rampant, *argent*. [Plate XIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath a scaling ladder, *or*, but sometimes a demi lion rampant, *argent*, holding in his paws a bezant; and sometimes out of a mural coronet, *or*, a lion's head, *argent*, charged with a bezant on his neck.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent*, each charged on its shoulder with a bezant, and crowned ducally, *or*.

MOTTO.] *De bon vouloir servir le roy.*

CHIEF-SEAT.] At Chillingham-Castle in Northumberland.

FINCH, EARL OF AYLESFORD.

THE Right Honourable HENEAGE FINCH, Earl of AYLESFORD, and Baron of Guernsey, born July 15, 1751, succeeded his father, the late Earl, May 5, 1777.

The descent of this family is under the title of Earl of Winchelsea.

(1st E.) HENEAGE FINCH, second son to Heneage the first Earl of Nottingham, was created Lord Guernsey, and afterwards Earl of Aylesford; but died July 22, 1799. He married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Sir John Banks of Aylesford, Bart. and by her, who died in Sept. 1743, had three sons and six daughters, Lady Elizabeth married to Robert Lord Bingley, and died Feb. 26, 1757; Lady Mary, who died unmarried in Feb. 1733; Lady Anne married to William Legge Earl of Dartmouth; Lady Martha; Lady Frances married to Sir John Bland; and Lady Effex, deceased. The sons were, 1. Heneage Lord Guernsey; 2. John, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Savile,

Savile, Esq. and died Jan. 1, 1740, leaving a son Henry Savile, and a daughter Mary; 3. Henry, who died July 15, 1757, unmarried.

(2d E.) HENEAGE succeeded his father. He married Mary, daughter of Sir Clement Fisher, and by her who died at Bath in May 1740, had a son and four daughters, viz. Heneage, late Earl of Aylesford. The daughters are, the Lady Anne; Lady Mary, who married William Visc. Andover; Lady Elizabeth; and Lady Frances married the 2d of April, 1741, to Visc. Courtenay. His Lordship dying June 26, 1757, was succeeded by his only son

(3d E.) HENEAGE, the late Earl, who married Oct. 6, 1750, Lady Charlotte Seymour, youngest daughter of Charles Duke of Somerset, by whom he had issue, 1. Heneage, the present Earl, born July 15, 1751. 2. Charles, born June 4, 1752. 3. William, born May 27, 1753. 4. John, born May 22, 1755. 5. Edward, born April 26, 1756. 6. Daniel, born April 3, 1757. 7. Seymour, born June 11, 1758. 8. Henry Allington, born Feb. 26, 1760. 9. Lady Charlotte, born May 13, 1754, married Aug. 14, 1777, to Henry Earl of Suffolk. 10. Lady Frances, born Feb. 1761. And his Lordship deceasing May 5, 1777, was succeeded by

(4th E.) HENEAGE, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron of the isle of Guernsey, May 15, 1703, the first of Queen Anne, and Earl of Aylesford in the county of Kent, October 26, 1714, 1. George I.

ARMS.] *Argent*; a chevron between three gryphons passant, *fable*; a crescent for difference.

CREST.] On a wreath, a gryphon passant, *fable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a gryphon, *fable*, gorged with a ducal collar, *or*. On the sinister, a lion of the second, ducally gorged, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Aperto vivere voto*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Aylesford in Kent; at Albury in Surry; at Packington in Warwickshire.

HERVEY, EARL OF BRISTOL.

THE Right Hon. AUGUSTUS-JOHN HERVEY, Earl of BRISTOL, Lord Hervey of Ickworth, born May 19, 1724, succeeded his brother March 30, 1775.

This

This family derive their descent from Robert Fitz-Hervey, son of Hervey Duke of Orleans, who came into England with William the Conqueror, and from him descended

THOMAS Hervey who married Jane, daughter and heir to Henry Drury, of Ickworth in the county of Suffolk, and with her had that Manor; and by her, who married 2dly, Sir William Carew, had two sons,

JOHN his heir, who died without issue, and

WILLIAM, heir to his brother, who married Jane, daughter to John Cocket, of Ampton in Suffolk, and died the first of August, 1538, and was ancestor to

Sir WILLIAM Hervey, in 1630, who married Susan, daughter to Sir Robert Jermin, and had John his heir; William; Thomas; and four daughters, Judith married to James Reynolds, Esq. Mary to Sir Edward Gage; Susan to Sir Thomas Hanmer, Bart. and Kezia to Thomas Tyrill, Esq. He married secondly the Lady Penelope, daughter of Thomas Lord D'Arcy of Chiche, and Earl Rivers, relict first of Sir George Trenchard, secondly of Sir John Gage.

JOHN, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter to William Lord Hervey of Kidbrook, and dying without issue, Jan. 18, 1679,

Sir THOMAS, his youngest brother, (the second dying at Cambridge, Sept. 23, 1642) became his heir. He married Isabella, daughter of Sir Humphrey May, and had Isabella, married to Gervase Elwes; Elizabeth died Feb. 18, 1673; and Kezia married Aubrie Porter, Esq. Of the sons, which were William, John, and Thomas; William, eldest brother, dying June 14, 1663.

(1st E.) JOHN the second son, succeeded his father; and was March 23, 1703, created Lord Hervey of Ickworth; in the first of George I. he was created Earl of Bristol. He married first Isabella, daughter to Sir Robert Carr, and by her had one son and two daughters, viz. Carr Lord Hervey, born Sept. 17, 1691, but died on the 14th of Nov. 1723, unmarried. Of the daughters, Lady Isabella, died in Nov. 1711, unmarried; and the Lady Elizabeth, of whom her mother died in childbed, March 7, 1693, died an infant. His Lordship married secondly in 1695, Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Felton, and by her had issue, 1. John, late Lord Hervey; 2. Thomas, born Jan. 20, 1698, died Jan. 20, 1775; 3. William,

by L^{dy} Elizth Howard, youngest dau. of James 3^d of Suffolk;

William, born Dec. 25, 1699, married Nov. 27, 1729, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Ridge, Esq. 4. Henry, D. D. born Jan. 5, 1701. March 2, 1730, he married Catharine, sister and heir to Sir Thomas Aston, Bart. whose surname he took pursuant to the will of Sir Thomas, and died Nov. 1748, leaving a son Henry Hervey Aston. 5, and 6, Charles, born April 5, 1703, twin with a sister Henrietta, who died young. He is D. D. and married in Jan. 1743, Miss Martha-Maria, daughter of Colonel Howard. 7. A son, died soon after he was born; as did, 8. Humphry. 9. James-Porter, born June 24, 1706, deceased. 10. Felton, who died an infant. 11. Felton, born Feb. 12, 1712, married Dorothy, daughter of Solomon Ashley, Esq. and widow of Charles Pitfield, Esq. and died in Aug. 1773. 12. James, born March 5, 1713, deceased. 13. Lady Elizabeth, married May 8, 1724, to Bussy Lord Mansell, and died Dec. 3, 1727. 14. Lady Anne. 15. Lady Barbara, died July 24, 1727. 16. Lady Louisa-Carolina-Isabella married Sept. 23, 1731, to Sir Robert Smyth. 17. Lady Henrietta, died in August 1732.

JOHN, the eldest son, born October 15, 1696, was called up to the House of Peers as Lord Hervey. He married Oct. 25, 1720, Mary, daughter to General Nicholas Le Pell, and had issue, 1. George-William, the late Earl, born the 31st of Aug. 1721. 2. Lady LePell, born in Jan. 1723, married the 26th of Feb. 1743, to Constantine Lord Mulgrave. 3. Augustus-John, the present Earl. 4. Lady Mary, born in 1726, married to George Fitzgerald, Esq. who died on May 1, 1762. 5. Frederick, born in August, 1730, now Bishop of Derry. 6. William, born the 13th of May, 1732, a Colonel in the army. 7. Lady Amelia-Carolina-Nassau. 8. Lady Carolina. His late Majesty in 1753, was pleased to grant to the daughters of the Lord Hervey, the same precedence as daughters of Earls of Great Britain. His Lordship dying in August 1743, was succeeded in the title of Lord Hervey by his eldest son

(2d E.) GEORGE-WILLIAM, who also, in Jan. 1751, succeeded his grandfather as Earl of Bristol. And his Lordship deceasing March 20, 1775, was succeeded by his brother

(3d E.) AUGUSTUS-JOHN, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Hervey of Ickworth, in the county of Suffolk, March 23, 1703, the 2d of Queen Anne; and Earl of the City of Bristol, Oct. 19, 1714, 1 George I.

ARMS.] *Gules*, on a bend, *argent*, three trefoils slipped, *proper*. [Plate XIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a leopard, passant, bazantée and gorged with a ducal coronet, and chained, *or*, holding in his dexter paw a trefoil slipped, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Tho leopards, *proper*, bezantée, and with collars and chains, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Je n'oublieray jamais.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ickworth in Suffolk; at Aswarby in Lincolnshire.

YELVERTON, EARL OF SUSSEX.

THE Right Hon. HENRY YELVERTON, Earl of SUSSEX, Visc. Longueville, Baron Grey of Ruthen, and Baronet, succeeded his brother George-Augustus, the late Earl, who died unmarried, Jan. 8, 1758; he married Jan. 17, 1757, Hester, daughter to John Hall, Esq. by which Lady, who died in 1776, he has had issue, 1. Talbot, died an infant. 2. Lady Barbara, born June 19, 1760, and married in Nov. 1775, to Edward Gould, Esq. of Woodham Mansfield, in Nottinghamshire.

ROBERT Yelverton, Esq. lived in the reign of Edw. II. at Rack-Heath in Norfolk, and was the ancestor of

Sir CHRISTOPPER Yelverton, who in the 39th of Eliz. was Speaker of the House of Commons, and in the 44th, a Judge of the Queen's-Bench, in which post he died, at Easton-Mauduit, a seat which he had purchased in Northamptonshire, Oct. 31, 1612. He married Mary, daughter to Thomas Catesby, Esq. and by her he had two sons, Sir Henry and Christopher, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Sir Edward Cope; and Anne, first to Thomas Sherland, Esq. and secondly to Sir Edward Cocket.

Sir HENRY the eldest son, succeeded him. He was Judge of the Common-Pleas under King Charles I. and died on the 24, of Jan. 1630. He married Margaret, daughter of Robert Beale, Esq. and had four sons and five daughters. Of the sons

Sir

1. B⁺ Sir CHRISTOPHER succeeded his father, and on the 30th of June 1641, was created a Baronet, and dying on the 4th of Dec. 1654, left issue by Anne, daughter to Sir William Twisden, a daughter Anne, married first to Robert Montagu the third Earl of Manchester; and secondly to Charles Earl of Halifax, and

2. B⁺ Sir HENRY, his heir, who died Oct. 3, 1670. He married Susan, daughter and heir to Charles Longueville, who in right of his mother, became Lord Grey of Ruthen, and the honour descending to his said daughter and heir, she brought it to this family, by whom it is now enjoyed; and by her said husband, having four sons, Charles, Henry, Christopher, and Nevil, and two daughters, Frances, wife of Christopher the first Visc. Hatton.

3. B⁺ CHARLES the eldest son, succeeded his father in the title of Baronet, and his mother in that of Lord Grey of Ruthen; but he dying May 17, 1679, without issue, was succeeded by

(1st Visc.) HENRY his brother, who April 21, 1690, was created Visc. Longueville, and died March 24, 1704. He married Barbara, daughter of Sir John Talbot, and had two sons Talbot and Henry, and five daughters, Barbara, Susanna, Frances, Anna, Henrietta.

(1st E.) TALBOT, the eldest son, succeeded his father, and in 1717, was created Earl of Sussex, with remainder to Henry his brother, and their issue male. He married Lucy, daughter to Henry Pelham, Esq. and by her, who died in childbed, May 25, 1730, had two sons, viz. George and Henry. His Lordship died in October, 1731, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d E.) GEORGE, the late Earl, who dying unmarried Jan. 8, 1758, was succeeded by his only brother

(3d E.) HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Grey of Ruthen in Denbyshire, Oct. 17, 1679, Viscount April 21, 1690, and Earl Sept. 26, 1717.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three lions rampant, and a chief, *gules*. [Plate XIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion passant, regardant, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a wyverne, *or*; on the sinister, a lion regardant, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Foy en tout*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Easton-Mauduit in the county of Northampton.

COWPER,

COWPER, EARL COWPER.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE CLAVERING COWPER, Earl of COWPER, Visc. Fordwich, Baron Cowper of Wingham, and Baronet, born Aug. 26, 1738, and succeeded his father Sept. 18, 1764. He married, June 2, 1774, Miss Gore.

Of this family, which was first seated in Suffex, was John Cowper of Strode, in the reign of King Edward IV. and was ancestor of

(1st Bart.) WILLIAM Cowper, who in the 17th of Charles I. was created a Baronet. He married Martha, daughter to James Masters, Esq. and had six sons and three daughters, Mary, who died unmarried; Martha married to John Huitson, Esq. and Anne to John Richmond, Esq. The sons were, 1. John; 2. Sir Edward, who died unmarried; 3. Sir William, who had issue Sir John; 4. Spencer, who died unmarried; 5. James, who in 1660, married Mary, daughter to Sir Henry Wroth, but died without issue, and she married secondly George the fourth Earl of Suffolk; 6. Henry died without issue.

JOHN, the eldest son, married Martha, daughter to George Hewkley of London, merchant, and had a son William, who succeeded his grandfather, and married Sarah, daughter to Sir Samuel Holled, and had two sons, William, his heir, and Spencer, who was one of the Judges of the Common-Pleas; but dying on the 10th of December, 1728, left one daughter, married to Colonel Martin Madan; and three sons, 1st William, he died in Feb. 1740, leaving issue two sons and a daughter, of which William married, August 5, 1749, Miss Madan, eldest daughter of Colonel Madan, by whom he had a son, born May 6, 1750; 2d John, and 3d Ashley.

(1st L. and E.) Sir WILLIAM succeeded his father, and in 1705, was made Lord-Keeper of the Great Seal, and the next year created Lord Cowper, and afterwards Earl Cowper, and died on the 10th of October, 1723. He married to his first wife Judith, daughter and heir to Sir Robert Booth, by whom he had an only son that died young; but by his second wife Sarah, daughter to John Clavering, Esq. he left two sons and two daughters, 1. The Lady

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Sarah,

he marr^d Sarah Clavering in 1707
Mary

Sarah, who died December 7, 1758; and 2. the Lady Anne, married to James-Edward Colleton, Esq. and died March 26, 1750. The sons were, 1. William, 2. Spencer, late Dean of Durham, who, in May, 1742, married Dorothy, daughter to Charles, late Viscount Townshend; and

(2d E.) WILLIAM, who was born in 1709, succeeded his father, and took the name of Clavering in pursuance of the will of his uncle. He married, June 27, 1732, the Lady Henrietta, daughter of the Earl of Grantham, and by her, who died in Oct. 1747, he had issue Lady Caroline, born June 20, 1733, married July 24, 1753, to Henry Seymour, Esq. and George now Earl Cowper, born on August 26, 1738. In May, 1750, his Lordship married to his second wife, the Lady Georgina-Caroline, daughter of John Earl Granville, widow of John Spencer, Esq. and mother of the present Earl Spencer, by whom he had no issue. And departing this life, on Sept. 18, 1764, was succeeded by

(3d E.) GEORGE, his only son.

CREATIONS.] Created Baronet, March 4, 1641, 17 Car. I. Baron Cowper of Wingham in the county of Kent, Nov. 9, 1706, Visc. Fordwich, and Earl Cowper, March 18, 1718.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three martlets and a chief engrailed, *gules*; on the latter, as many annulets, *or*. [*Plate XIV.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion's gamb erected and erased, *or*, holding a branch, *vert*, fructed, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two light-dun horses, with tails docked, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Tuum est.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Colne-green in Hertfordshire; and Ratling-court in the county of Kent.

STANHOPE, EARL STANHOPE.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP STANHOPE, Earl STANHOPE, Visc. Stanhope of Mahon, and Baron of Elvahton, born Aug 15, 1714, succeeded his father James, the late Earl, Feb. 5, 1721. He married in 1745, Lady Grizel, daughter of Charles Visc. Binning, son of Thomas Earl of Haddington, by whom he has issue, 1. Philip, born in 1746, and died

died in 1763. 2. Charles, Viscount Mahon, born Aug. 3. 1753, married Dec. 1774, to Lady Harriet, daughter of the Earl of Chatham.

PHILIP, the first Earl of Chesterfield, marrying to his second wife Anne, daughter to Sir John Packington, had an only son

ALEXANDER, who died Sept. 20, 1707. He married Catharine, daughter to Arnold Burghill, Esq. and had five sons and one daughter Mary, who married Charles the first Viscount Fane. The sons were, 1. James; 2. Alexander, who died in his father's life-time; 3. Philip, killed the 28th of Sept. 1708, in attacking the Castle of St. Philip in Minorca; 4. Edward, killed at the siege of Cardoua in Spain, Dec. 23, 1711; 5. William, born at Madrid, in 1691, died an infant.

(1st E.) JAMES, the eldest, in Sept. 1708, took the island of Minorca, and was in 1717, created a Baron and Viscount, with limitation, for want of heirs male, to Charles Stanhope of Elvaston, Esq. and his brother William, and was in 1718, created Earl Stanhope. He married Feb. 24, 1713, Lucy, daughter to Thomas Pitt, Esq. by whom he had issue, 1. Philip, now Earl; 2. Lady Lucy, both born the 15th of August, 1714; 3. George, born Dec. 28, 1717, died unmarried; 4. James; 5. Lady Jane, twins, born after the death of their father; and their mother died the 24th of Feb. 1723; and the said James, April 21, 1730; and 1724

(2d E.) PHILIP, the eldest, succeeded his father.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Stanhope of Elvaston in the county of Derby, and Viscount Stanhope of Mahon in Minorca, July 12, 1717, 3 George I. and Earl Stanhope, April 14, 1718.

ARMS and CREST.] The same as the Earl of Chesterfield; a crescent for difference. [Plate XIV.]

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a talbot, *ermine*. On the sinister, a wolfe, *or*, ducally crowned, *azure*; each charged on the shoulder with a crescent, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *A Deo & Rege.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Chevening in the county of Kent.

SHERARD, EARL OF HARBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. ROBERT SHERARD, Earl of HARBOROUGH, Baron Sherard of Harborough in England, and Baron Leitrim in Ireland, succeeded his brother Bennet, Feb. 24, 1770. His Lordship married first to Miss Catharine Hearst, secondly to Miss Reeves, and thirdly, in June, 1772, to Miss Roberts. His only daughter married April 19, 1776, to Col. Morgan.

This family derive their descent from SCHIRARD, who at the time of the Conquest had great possessions in the counties of Chester and Lancaster, and was the ancestor of Robert Sherard, who marrying Agnes, daughter and heir to Sir Lawrence Hawberk, Kt. with her had the Manor of Stapleford, now their chief seat. In 1437,

LAWRENCE their son, marrying Elizabeth, daughter and heir to John Woodford, Esq. had four sons, Robert, Geoffrey, Christopher, and William; whereof the two latter died without issue; and

ROBERT the eldest, dying without issue, Geoffrey, his next brother, became heir, and marrying Jocosa, daughter to Thomas Ashby, Esq. had Thomas his heir, and Robert Sherard of Lophthorp in the county of Lincoln, from whom descended Sir Brownlow Sherard, Bart.

THOMAS married Margaret, daughter to John Helwell, Esq. and was succeeded by

GEORGE their son, who marrying Rohesa, daughter to Sir Thomas Pulteney, had

FRANCIS, his heir, who married Anne, daughter to George Moore, Esq. and had three sons, Sir Philip, Sir William, and George.

Sir PHILIP the eldest, married Isabel, daughter of Sir John Harpur, and dying without issue,

L^d Sherard (1st L.) Sir WILLIAM, the second, became heir. In the 3d of Charles I. he was created Baron of Le-Trim, and marrying Abigail, widow of Henry Tresham, Esq. daughter to Cecil Cave, Esq. by Anne, daughter of Anthony Bennet, Esq. had five sons and two daughters, Abigail, who died in 1648, and Anne, married to Nicholas Knolles, Earl of Banbury. And of the sons, which were Bennet, Philip, George, Francis, and Henry,

(2d L.) BENNET the eldest succeeded his father, and died in the year 1700; and by Elizabeth, daughter to Sir

Sir Robert Christopher, had two sons and two daughters; Elizabeth first married to Edward Ingram, the second Visc. Irwin, and secondly to John Noel, Esq. and by her had a daughter Bridget, who was married to David Lord Milington, but died without surviving issue; 2. Lucinda, was the second wife of John, the second Duke of Rutland. Of the sons, Christopher the eldest ^{succeeded but} dying in 1681, unmarried,

^{1st E.} BENNET, the second, became heir, and was created Baron Sherard, with remainder for want of heirs male to Philip second son of William the 1st Baron of Leitrim, and on the 31st of Oct. 1718, created Visc. Sherard of Stapleford, and on the 8th of May, 1719, Earl of Harborough, with the like remainder. His Lordship married Mary, daughter to Sir Henry Calverley, and died without issue, October 16, 1732. We now return to

PHILIP, second son of William the first Lord Sherard of Leitrim. He died 1695. He married Margaret, daughter to Sir Thomas Denton, and widow of John Polteney, Esq. and of William Eure, Esq. and had three sons, and a daughter Abigail, married to John Pickering, Esq. And of the sons, which were Bennet, Philip, and Denton, the second married Anne, daughter to John Thoroton, M. D. had three sons and three daughters; which were Philip, Robert, William; Anne, Mary, and Elizabeth; and,

BENNET their uncle, died in 1701, having married Dorothy, daughter to Henry the fourth Lord Fairfax, and widow of Robert Stapleton, Esq. by her, who died in Jan. 1745, had four sons and six daughters, three of which sons died without issue; and Margaret was the wife of Dr. John Gilbert, Archbishop of York.

(2d E.) PHILIP, the only surviving son, succeeded to the titles, by virtue of the limitation in the patent, except that of Visc. Sherard of Stapleford, and was the second Earl. He married Anne, daughter of Nicholas Pedley, Esq. and by her, who died Feb. 16, 1750, had issue Bennet Lord Sherard; John, who died in May, 1746; Robert, the present Earl; Daniel, who died in June, 1744; Philip, a general in the army: Also four daughters, Lady Dorothy, the wife of the Rev. James Torkington; Lady Lucy, Lady Susanna, and Lady Ursula, which last died in Sept. 1745; and his Lordship dying July 20, 1750, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d E.) BENNET, who married in June 1738, Lady Elizabeth, daughter of Ralph, Earl Verney, who died in June, 1756. His Lordship, July 2, 1757, married Frances, daughter to the Hon. Justice Noel, by whom he has a daughter Lady Frances, born March 12, 1759. His Lordship's second wife dying Sept. 15, 1760, he married, March 31, 1761, his third wife, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Hill, Esq. who died in Jan. 1767, and his Lordship married, Oct. 8, 1767, Miss Cave, daughter of Sir Thomas Cave, Bart. and his Lordship deceasing February 24, 1770, was succeeded by his brother

(4th E.) ROBERT, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron ^{of Harborough}, Oct. 19, 1714, and Earl, May 8, 1719, Baron ^{of Leitrim} in Ireland, July 10, 1627.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron, *gules*, between three torteauxes, [Plate XIV.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a peacock's tail erect, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two rams, *argent*, armed and unguled, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Hofis honori invidia*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stapleford in Leicestershire; and Whiffendine, in Rutlandshire.

PARKER, EARL OF MACCLESFIELD.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS PARKER, Earl and Baron of MACCLESFIELD, Viscount Parker, born October 12, 1723, succeeded his father March 17, 1769, and married, December 12, 1749, Mary, eldest daughter to Sir William Heathcote, by whom he has 1. George Visc. Parker. 2. Thomas. 3. Lady Elizabeth, married Nov. 16, 1773, to J. Fane, of Wormsley, in Oxfordshire, Esq. 4. Lady Mary.

THOMAS Parker had great possessions in the reign of King Richard II. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Adam de Gotham, and had Robert his heir, who married Elizabeth, daughter of John Birley, and had a son John, who by Ellen, daughter of Roger North, had five sons; of whom, Thomas the second, had issue William Parker,

of Ashbourn in Derbyshire, whose son George married Barbara, daughter of — Burley, and had a son William Parker, who died in 1631, and left issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Humphry Wilson, a son Thomas Parker, Esq. father of

(1st E.) Sir THOMAS Parker, who was created a Baron, and on the 20th of May, 1718, was appointed Lord High Chancellor; and in 1721, was created a Viscount and Earl; and having married Janet, daughter to Charles Carrier, Esq. by her had George Visc. Parker, and a daughter Elizabeth, married April 7, 1720, to William Heathcote, Esq. since created a Baronet, on whom, and her issue male, are entailed the honours of Baron, Viscount, and Earl, in failure of issue male of the present Earl, her nephew. His Lordship dying on the 28th of April, 1732, was succeeded by,

(2d E.) GEORGE, his only son, late Earl, who married the 18th of Sept. 1722, Mary, daughter to Mr. ^{Wain} Lane, a Turkey merchant, and by her, who died June 4, 1753, had issue, 1. Thomas, now Earl of Macclesfield, born Oct. 12, 1723; 2. George-Lane Parker, born Sept. 6, 1724, a general in the army. His Lordship married, secondly, in December 1757, Miss Nesbit; but died without any issue by her, on March 17, 1764, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d E.) THOMAS, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Parker, March 9, 1716, 2 Geo. I. and Viscount Parker and Earl of Macclesfield, November 15, 1721.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a chevron between three leopards faces, *or*. [Plate XIV.]

CREST.] A leopard's head erased and guardant, *or*, ducally gorged, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two leopards regardant, *proper*, each gorged with a ducal coronet, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Sapere aude*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Sherburn-castle, in Oxfordshire.

FERMOR, EARL of POMFRET.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE FERMOR, Earl of POMFRET, and Lord Lempster, succeeded his father, Thomas, the late Earl, July 8, 1753. He married,

April 30. 1764, Miss Anne-Maria Draycot, of Sunbury in Middlesex, by whom he has issue, 1. George Lord Lempster, born Jan. 8, 1768. 2. Lady Charlotte, born Nov. 20, 1766.

Of this family of Fermor, formerly called Ricards, was Thomas Ricards, whose mother being daughter and heir of the family of Fermor, he took that name; and died in the first of Henry VII. By his wife Emmote, daughter and heir of Simkin Hervey, Esq. he had 1. Richard, 2. William, who died the 20th of Sept. 1552.

RICHARD his brother, who was bred a merchant, settled himself at Easton-Neston, which he had purchased. He married Anne, daughter to Sir William Brown, Lord Mayor of London, and had three son, and five daughters; Joan married first to Robert Wilford, Esq. and secondly to Sir John Mordaunt; Anne to William Lucy, Esq. Elizabeth to Thomas Lover, Esq. Ursula to Richard Fienes; and Mary to Sir Richard Knightley. The sons were, Sir John, Thomas, and Jerome. Sir John the eldest, married Maud, daughter to Nicholas Lord Vaux, Baron of Harrowden; and dying Dec. 12, 1571, left issue Sir George Fermor, his heir, Nicholas, and Richard, and three daughters; Catharine married first to Michael Pulteney, Esq. and secondly to Sir Henry D'Arcy, Anne to Edward Leigh, Esq. and Mary to Sir Thomas Lucas.

Sir GEORGE died the first of Dec. 1612, having married Mary, daughter to Thomas Curzon, Esq. and had seven sons and eight daughters; of which, three died unmarried; Agnes the eldest, was married to Richard the first Viscount Wenman; Elizabeth, first to Sir William Stafford, and secondly to Sir Thomas Chamberlayne; Jane to Sir John Killegrew; Catharine to William Hoby, Esq. and Mary first to Robert Sanquar, and afterwards to Barnaby Earl of Thomond. And of the sons,

Sir HATTON the eldest, died in 1640. He married Anne, daughter of Sir William Cockain, and had five sons and six daughters; of which, Mary was married to Sir Charles Crompton; Anne to Jonathan Cope, Esq. Catharine, first to Sir John Shuckburgh, and after his decease to Sir Roger Norwich, and three died unmarried. And of the sons, which were Sir William, Hatton, Charles, George, and Richard; the second died in 1644, and

Sir WILLIAM the eldest, was created a Baronet, and died May 14, 1661. He married Mary, daughter to
Hugh

Hugh Perry, Esq. widow of Henry the second son of Edward the first Viscount Campden, and had eight sons, and two daughters; Hatton the eldest son dying an infant, *of these sons the 5th was named Geo. 1670*

(1st L.) WILLIAM the second son became heir, and on the 12th of April, 1692, was created Lord Lempster. He married first Jane, daughter to Andrew Barker, Esq. by whom he had a daughter Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and by his second, who was Catharine, daughter to John the third Lord Poulett, he had another daughter Mary, married to Sir John Wodehouse, and died Oct 24, 1729; by his third, the Lady Sophia, daughter to Thomas Duke of Leeds, and widow of Donatus Lord O'Brien, he had two sons, Thomas and William; and four daughters, of whom Sophia died young; Catharine and Bridget, died unmarried; and Matilda married Edward Conyers, Esq. and died in February 1741, leaving issue John Conyers, Esq.

(1st E.) THOMAS the eldest son, was born in 1698, on the 17th of December, 1711, succeeded his father; and in 1721, was created Earl of Pomfret. He married July 14, 1720, Henrietta-Louisa, daughter to John Lord Jeteries, Baron of Wem, and by her he had four sons, and six daughters, viz. 1. George, the present Earl. 2. William, who died in 1744. 3. John, and 4. Thomas, both dead. 5. Lady Sophia, married in 1744, to John Earl Granville, and died in 1745. 6. Lady Charlotte, married to the late William Finch, Esq. 7. Lady Henrietta, married to John Conyers, of Cophall in Essex, Esq. 8. Lady Juliana, married in August, 1751, to Thomas Penn, Esq. 9. Lady Louisa, married September 18, 1767, to William Clayton, Esq. 10. Lady Anne, married July 15, 1754, to Thomas Dawson, now Lord Dartrey, and died March 1, 1769. And dying July 8, 1753, was succeeded by his only son

(2d E.) GEORGE, now Earl of Pomfret.

CREATIONS.] Baron, April 12, 1692, and Earl Dec. 27, 1721.

ARMS] *Argent*, a fess, *sable*, between three lions heads erased, *gules*. [Plate XIV.]

CREST] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a cock's head issuing, *gules*, crested and wattled, *or*.

SUP.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Hora e sempre.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Easton-Neston in the county of Northampton; and Sunbury in Middlesex.

GRAHAM, EARL GRAHAM.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM GRAHAM, Earl and Baron GRAHAM of Belford in the county of Northumberland in England, and Duke of Montrose in Scotland.

For an account of this family, see Duke of Montrose in the Peerage of Scotland.

KER, EARL OF WAKEFIELD.

THE Right Honourable JOHN KER, Earl and Baron KER of WAKEFIELD in Yorkshire, and Duke of Roxburgh in Scotland.

For an account of this family, see Duke of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Scotland.

WALDEGRAVE, EARL WALDEGRAVE.

THE Right Honourable JOHN WALDEGRAVE, Earl WALDEGRAVE, Viscount Chewton, Baron Waldegrave of Chewton, and Baronet, born April 28, 1718, succeeded his brother James, the late Earl, April 8, 1763. He married in 1751, Lady Elizabeth, daughter of John Earl Gower, by whom he has had, 1. George, Viscount Chewton, born Nov. 23, 1751. 2. William, born July 9, 1753. 3. John, born November 27, 1756. 4. Lady Elizabeth; and 5. Lady Amelia, died in 1768; both born May 26, 1758. 6. Lady Frances, born Oct. 6, 1761, and died in June, 1768. 7. Lady Caroline.

This family takes its name from the village of Walgrave in Northamptonshire; Warin de Walgrave, had a son John, who was Sheriff of London in 1205; from him descended Sir Thomas Waldegrave, who was knighted by King Edward IV. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John Fray,

Fray, and died in 1500, leaving issue, 1. Sir William; 2. Edward; 3. Richard; 4. Jane, second wife of Thomas Mannock, Esq. 5. Catharine married to George Mannock, Esq. Sir William the eldest, married Margery, daughter of Sir Henry Wentworth, and had three sons, George, William, and Anthony.

Sir EDWARD Waldegrave, second son, married Elizabeth, daughter to John Cheney, Esq. and dying the 17th of Henry VIII. left issue a son Sir John, and a daughter Mary, who married Isaac Astley, Esq. Sir John Waldegrave, married Lora, daughter to Sir John Rochester, and had three sons Sir Edward, Robert, and John, and died the 6th of Oct. 1543. Sir Edward the eldest, had from Queen Mary a grant of the Manor of Chewton. He died on the first of September, 1561, having married Frances, daughter to Edward Nevil, brother to the Lord Abergavenny, and had two sons, Charles his heir, and Nicholas, and three daughters; Mary married to John the first Lord Petre; Magdalen to ——— Southcote, Esq. and Catharine to ——— Gwayne, Esq.

CHARLES marrying Jeronyma, daughter to Sir Henry Jernegan, left Sir Edward his heir, and two daughters; Frances married to Henry Yaxley, Esq. and Magdalen to Philip Parris, Esq.

(1st Bart.) Sir EDWARD in the 19th of Charles I. was created a Baronet. He married Eleanor, sister and heir to Sir Francis Lovel, and had a son

(2d Bart.) Sir HENRY, who succeeded him, and marrying first Anne, daughter to Edward Paston, Esq. had seven sons, and four daughters; and by Catharine, his second wife, who was daughter to Richard Bacon, he had six sons and six daughters, and died Oct. 10, 1658. Of the sons by the first wife,

(3d Bart.) Sir CHARLES, succeeded his father; and marrying Helen, daughter to Sir Francis Englefield, had Sir Henry his heir, and Charles.

(1st L.) Sir HENRY Waldegrave in the 1st of James II. was created Lord Waldegrave; but in 1689, died at Paris; and having married the Lady Henrietta Fitz-James, natural daughter to King James II. by Mrs. Arabella Churchill, sister to John Duke of Marlborough, by her, (who died April 3, 1730) had two sons and a daughter Arabella, a nun. Of the sons, which were James and Henry, the latter died unmarried; but

(1st E,

1st E.) JAMES succeeded his father. On the 16th of September, 1729, he was created Viscount Chewton and Earl Waldegrave. He married Mary, second daughter to Sir John Webb, and by her, who died January 22, 1719, he had two sons and one daughter, viz. James, late Earl Waldegrave, born March 4, 1715; Lady Henrietta, born January 2, 1717, died May 13, 1753; she married July 7, 1734, to the Lord Edward Herbert, second son to the Marquis of Powis, who left her a widow in November following with child, and she was delivered in June, 1735, of a daughter Barbara, married to the Earl Powis; and John, now Earl Waldegrave. His Lordship died April 11, 1741, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d E.) JAMES, who married in December, 1754, Miss — Drax, daughter of Henry Drax, Esq. which Lady dying, he married secondly Maria, second daughter to Sir Edward Walpole, May 15, 1759, by whom he had 1. Lady Elizabeth-Laura, born March 24, 1760. 2. Lady Charlotte-Maria, born Nov. 8, 1762. 3. Lady Anna-Horatia. And dying without issue male, he was succeeded by his only brother. *m 1763. April 8.*

(3d E.) JOHN, now Earl Waldegrave.

CREATIONS.] Lord Waldegrave, January 20, 1685, 1 Jac. II. and Viscount Chewton, and Earl Waldegrave, Sept. 13, 1729, 3 George II.

ARMS.] Party per pale, *argent* and *gules*. [Plate XV.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a plume of five ostrich feathers, party per pale, *argent* and *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two talbots, *sable*, eared, *or*, and each gorged with a mural coronet, *argent*, masoned, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Cælum non animus.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Navestoke in Essex.

ASHBURNHAM, EARL OF ASHBURNHAM.

THE Right Honourable JOHN ASHBURNHAM, Earl of ASHBURNHAM, Visc. St. Asaph, and Baron of Ashburnham, born Oct. 30, 1724, succeeded his father John, the late Earl, March 10, 1737; and, June 28, 1756, was married to Elizabeth, daughter to John Crawley, Esq. late Alderman of London, by whom he has, 1. George, died an infant. 2. George, Viscount St. Asaph, born

born Dec. 25, 1760. 3. Lady Henrietta-Theodosia, born Nov. 8, 1759. 4. Lady Jemima-Elizabeth, born Jan. 1, 1762. 5. Lady Elizabeth-Frances, born May 10, 1763. Lady Theodosia Mary, born June 16, 1765.

Of this family, which assumed their surname from the town of Ashburnham, was PIERS, Lord of Ashburnham, whose son Anchitel, had a son Bertram, who in the reign of King Harold was Sheriff of Suffex, Surry and Kent, and Constable of Dover-Castle, which he defended against William the Conqueror. From him descended Thomas Ashburnham, who married Sarah, daughter of Henry Wauncy, by whom he had three sons, 1. John; 2. Richard; 3. Thomas. John the eldest, died in 1491; and by Elizabeth Peckham, his wife, left issue William, his heir, who married Anne, daughter of Henry Hawley, and had issue a daughter Anne, married first to William Apsley; and secondly to Richard Covert, Esq. and John, his heir, who married Lora, daughter of Thomas Berkeley, Esq. and had John his heir, and three daughters; Anne married first to John Bolney; secondly to Thomas Culpeper, Esq. Jane to Oliver Denham, Esq. and Alice to John Daniel, Esq.

JOHN, who succeeded, married Isabel, daughter of John Sackville, Esq. and had three sons, John, Thomas, and William; and three daughters, 1. Eleanor; 2. Anne, married to Thomas Penderton, Esq. 3. Margaret, to — Jones, Esq.

JOHN, the eldest son, died the 14th of October, 1591. He married Mary, daughter to George Fane, Esq. and had five sons, Sir John his heir, Thomas, William, George, and Walter, which four last died without issue; also two daughters, Mary married to George Wentworth, Esq. and Catharine, to George Aldwick, Esq.

Sir JOHN, the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Thomas Beaumont, and by her had two sons and four daughters; whereof Elizabeth was married to Frederick Lord Cornwallis; Frances to Frederick Turville, Esq. Anne to Sir Edward Dering; and Catharine died unmarried. Of the sons, which were John, and William, the youngest, married Jane, daughter to John Lord Boteler, widow of James Earl of Marlborough, and died without issue in December, 1679. *Collected by H. Cha.*

* JOHN, his elder brother, died June 15, 1671. He * married first Frances, daughter to William Holland, Esq.

secondly
* was groom of the Bedchamber to a confidential servant of H. Cha. I

secondly Christian, daughter to Christopher Ken, Esq. relict of John Lord Poulett, by which last wife he had no issue; but by his first wife had eight children, of which Elizabeth married Sir Hugh Smith, and Frances to Sir Denny Ashburnham.

WILLIAM, the eldest son, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Lord Poulett, and dying in 1655, left issue, by his said Lady, who afterwards married Sir William Hartopp,

ob. 1710
she died
1719. (1st L.) JOHN, who was created a Baron. He married Bridget, daughter to Walter Vaughan, Esq. and had Jane, married to James Hay, Esq. but died in August 1731; and Elizabeth married first to Robert Cholmondeley, Esq. and secondly to Seymour Cholmondeley, Esq. but died in January 1733. The sons were William, John, and Bertram, the youngest died in April, 1743, and

(2d L.) WILLIAM, the eldest, on the 21st of January, 1709, succeeded to the honour. He married Catharine, daughter to Thomas Taylor, Esq. but dying the 16th of June, 1710, without issue, and his Lady the 11th of July following,

1712
1713. (1st E.) JOHN, his brother became heir; and in 1730, was created a Viscount and Earl. He married first the Lady Mary Butler, daughter to James Duke of Ormond, by whom he had no surviving issue; but by his second, the Lady Henrietta Stanley, daughter to the 9th Earl of Derby, whom he married July 24, 1714; and who died June 26, 1718, and was widow of John Annesley, Earl of Anglesea, he had a daughter Henrietta, who died in August, 1732, unmarried; and taking to his third wife, the Lady Jemima Grey, daughter to Henry Duke of Kent, by her, who died July 7, 1731, had a son John. His Lordship dying on March 10, 1737, was succeeded by his son,

(2d E.) JOHN, now Earl of Ashburnham.

CREATIONS.] Baron Ashburnham, May 30, 1689, Earl, May 14, 1730.

ARMS.] Gules, a fess between six mullets, argent. [Plate VI.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, or, an ash-tree, proper.

SUR.

SUPPORTERS.] Two greyhounds, *sable*, collared and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Le Roy & l'Etat.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ashburnham in Suffex; and Chelsea in Middlesex.

HOWARD, EARL OF EFFINGHAM.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS HOWARD, Earl of EFFINGHAM, Lord Howard, born January 13, 1747, and succeeded his father November 19, 1763. He married Catharine, daughter of Metcalfe Proctor, of Thorpe in Yorkshire, Esq.

THOMAS the second Duke of Norfolk, marrying to his second wife Agnes, sister to Sir Philip Tiney, had a son (1st L.) WILLIAM, who in 1552, was created Lord Howard of Effingham. He was Admiral of England, Ireland, and Wales, and died Jan. 12, 1573. He married first Catharine, daughter to Sir John Boughton, by whom he had only one daughter, Agnes, who was married to the third Marquis of Winchester; but by his second, who was Margaret, daughter to Sir Thomas Gamage, he had four sons and five daughters; whereof Douglas the eldest, was married first to John Lord Sheffield, and secondly to Sir Edward Stafford; Mary first to Edward Lord Dudley, and secondly to Richard Mompeston, Esq. Frances to Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford; and Martha to Sir George Bouchier; and Catharine died young. And of the sons, which were Charles, Sir William, Edward, and Henry, the two youngest died infants, and

(2d L. 1st E. of N.) CHARLES succeeded his father, and in consideration of his services against the Spanish Armada, as also for sacking the town of Cadiz, and destroying the Spanish fleet in the harbour there, was on the 22d of Oct. the same year, created Earl of Nottingham, and died the 14th of December, 1624. He married first Catharine, daughter to the first Lord Hunsdon, and had two sons and three daughters; secondly Margaret, daughter to James Stuart, the third Earl of Murray, by whom he had two sons, James who died young, and Sir Charles, of whom hereafter. This Lady surviving him, married

married Sir William Monson, Viscount Castlemain. Of the daughters by Catharine the first wife, Elizabeth the eldest, was married first to Sir Robert Southwell, and secondly to John Earl of Carrick; Frances first to Henry Earl of Kildare, and secondly to Henry Lord Cobham; and Margeret to Sir Richard Leveson. And of the sons, which were William Lord Effingham, and Charles; the eldest married Anne, daughter to John, the second Lord St. John of Bletshoe, by whom he had an only daughter Elizabeth, who was married to John Mordaunt, the first Earl of Peterborough; but dying without issue male, *in his father's lifetime*

(3d L. E. 2d E. of N.) CHARLES his brother, became heir to his father. He married first Charity, daughter to Robert White, Esq. widow of William Leche, secondly Mary, daughter to Sir William Cockain, and dying on the 3d of Oct. 1642, without issue, was succeeded by his half brother,

(4th L. E. 3d E. of N.) Sir CHARLES, who married Arabella, daughter to Edward Smith, Esq. and dying in 1681, without issue, the Earldom of Nottingham ceased in this family. We now return to

Sir WILLIAM Howard, second son to William the first Lord Howard of Effingham, which Sir William, dying in 1600, left issue by Frances, daughter of William Gouldwell, Esq. three sons, Sir Edward, Sir Francis, and Sir Charles; the former dying in 1620, without issue, Sir Francis his brother, succeeded, and married Jane, daughter of Sir William Monson, by whom he had seven sons and a daughter, and dying the 7th of July, 1651, was succeeded by,

Sir CHARLES his eldest son, who married Frances, daughter of Sir George Courthop, and left issue two sons, Francis his heir, and George, and a daughter Jane, married to Thomas Methwold, Esq. George, second son, married Anne, daughter of ——— Kidder, Esq. and had issue three sons, Henry, Charles, and Thomas, and two daughters; of which Thomas only survived, and died March 31, 1753. He married Mary, only daughter of Dr. Morton, Bishop of Meath, by whom he left two sons and two daughters, Sir George, Knight of the Bath and a general in the army, who married first Lady Lucy, sister to the present Earl of Strafford; and secondly the Dowager

ger Countess of Effingham; Henry; Mary married to Sir Francis Vincent; and Catharine.

(5th L. E.) FRANCIS, eldest son, of Sir Charles, succeeded Charles Earl of Nottingham in the Barony of Effingham. By his second wife Susan, daughter of Sir Henry Felton, and widow of Thomas Herbert, Esq. he had no issue; but by his first wife Philadelphia, daughter to Sir Thomas Pelham, he had three sons and three daughters; Philadelphia, Margaret, and Elizabeth; of which the latter was first married to Francis Hutchinson, Esq. and secondly to William Roberts, Esq. but the two eldest died young. And of the sons, who were Charles, Thomas, and Francis; the eldest dying unmarried April 11, 1694,

(6th L.) THOMAS, the second, in 1700, succeeded his father, and died on the 10th of July, 1725. By his second wife Elizabeth, daughter to John Rotheram, Esq. and widow of Sir Theophilus Napier, he had no issue; but by his first wife Mary, daughter to Rush Wentworth, Esq. he had two daughters, Anne married in Sept. 1729, to Sir William Younge, Bart. and Mary to George, now Lord Vernon; but dying without issue male,

(1st E. of E.) FRANCIS, his brother, became heir; and marrying first Diana, daughter to Brigadier O'Farrel, by her had Thomas the late Earl; and in July, 1728, taking to his 2d wife Anne, sister to Robert Britton, Esq. by her had a son George, born May 8, 1730, and died in July, 1731. He in Oct. 17, 1731, was created an Earl, and dying in Feb. 1743, was succeeded by his only son,

(2d E.) THOMAS. In Feb. 1745, he married Elizabeth, daughter of Peter Beckford, Esq. (which Lady married 2dly Sir George Howard, K. B. May 21, 1776) by whom he had issue, 1. Thomas, the present Earl. 2. Richard, born Feb. 2, 1748. 3. Lady Elizabeth, born Nov. 10, 1750. 4. Lady Anne, born in May, 1752, married Feb. 9, 1774, to the Rev. Dr. Courtenay. 5. Lady Maria, born Aug. 31, 1753, married May 22, 1772, to Sir Guy Carlton. 6. Lady Frances, born in May, 1755. His Lordship departed this life, on November 19, 1763, and was succeeded by

(3d E.) THOMAS, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Howard, March 11, 1554, Earl of Effingham, Dec. 8, 1731.

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ARMS.]

ARMS and CREST.] The same as the Duke of Norfolk's, a mullet for difference. [Plate XV.]

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent*; on the shoulder of each a mullet for difference.

MOTTO.] *Virtus mille scuta.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Great Bookham, in the county of Surry.

WALPOLE, EARL OF ORFORD.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE WALPOLE, Earl of ORFORD, Viscount Walpole, Baron Walpole, and Baron of Houghton, succeeded his father Robert, April 1, 1751.

This family took their name from the town of Walpole St. Peter's in Norfolk, where they were seated before the Conquest. Richard de Walpole, marrying Emma, daughter to Walter de Nevelton, with her had all her father's lands in Reidon, near Houghton, where the family has resided from the reign of King Henry III.

Sir EDWARD Walpole, in 1663, was a member for Lynn, and died in March, 1668. He married Susan, daughter to Sir Robert Carne, and had five sons, and eight daughters; whereof two sons and five daughters died young; but Anne, the eldest, was married to Mountfort Spelham, Esq. Mary, the second, to John Wilson, Esq. and Elizabeth to James Host, Esq. And of the sons, Edward the youngest, died, 1688; Horatio married the Lady Anne, daughter to Thomas Duke of Leeds, and widow of Robert Coke, Esq.

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 ROBERT the eldest son, married Mary, daughter to Sir Jeffrey Burwell, and had (besides thirteen children that died young) three sons and three daughters; Mary married to Sir Charles Turner; Dorothy to Charles Viscount Townshend; and Susan to Anthony Hammond, Esq. The sons were Robert, Horatio, and Galfridus; the latter married *Constant* Cornelia, daughter of Mr. Hays of London, but died Aug. 7, 1726, without issue. Horatio, the second son, was created Lord WALPOLE of Wolterton.

(1st E.) ROBERT the eldest brother, born Aug. 26, 1674, on the 6th of Feb. 1742, was created a Viscount and Earl, and died the 18th of March 1746. He married

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first Catharine, daughter to John Shorter, Esq. and by her, who died on the 20th of August, 1737, had three sons, and a daughter Mary, married in 1723, to George late Earl of Cholmondeley, and died in 1732. The sons were Robert, Sir Edward, and ~~Horatio~~, the second is Knight of the Bath, and has three daughters, one of them married to Dr. Frederick Keppel, Bishop of Exeter; Maria, first to James late Earl of Waldegrave, and secondly to William Henry Duke of Gloucester; and the third to the Earl of Dysart. His Lordship married secondly Maria, daughter of Thomas Skerret, Esq. which Lady died June 4, 1738, by whom he had before marriage one daughter Maria, to whom his Majesty was pleased to grant precedence as an Earl's daughter. She was married in March, 1746, to Charles Churchill, Esq. by whom she had a son born in Feb. 1748.

(1st L. 2d E.) ROBERT, the eldest son was in 1723 created Lord Walpole, with remainder to Edward and Horatio his brothers; and in failure of issue from them, to their father Sir Robert, with remainder to the heirs male of Robert Walpole, father of Sir Robert. He married on the 26th of March, 1724, Margaret, daughter to Samuel Roll, Esq. by whom he had one son, born the 2d of April, 1730; and his Lordship dying April 1, 1751, was succeeded by his said son,

(3d E.) GEORGE, now Earl of Oxford.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Walpole, June 10, 1723, Baron of Houghton, Visc. Walpole, and Earl of Orford, Feb. 9, 1742, the 15th of Geo. II.

ARMS.] Or, on a fess, between two chevrons, *sable*, three cross croselets of the first. [Plate XV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the bust of a man, side-faced, couped, *proper*, ducally crowned, with a long cap on, *gules*, thereon a catharine wheel, *or*; which crest belonged to the family of Robsart, and was, in memory of the services of Sir John Robsart, knight of the garter, against the Saracens.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side an antelope, and on the sinister side a buck, both *argent*, attired, *proper*, gorged with collars, checky, *or*, and *azure*, each having a chain thereto affixed, and their hoofs, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Fari quæ sentiat*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Houghton-Hall in the county of Norfolk; at Piddleton in the county of Dorset; at Haynton in Devonshire.

STANHOPE, EARL OF HARRINGTON.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM STANHOPE, Earl of HARRINGTON, Viscount Peterſham, Baron of Harrington, ſucceeded his father William, the late Earl, Dec. 8, 1756. He married, Aug. 11, 1746, the Lady Caroline Fitz-Roy, eldeſt daughter of his Grace Charles, late Duke of Grafton, by whom he had iſſue, 1. Lady Carolina, born March 11, 1747, married Oct. 7, 1765, to Kenneth Lord Fortroſe, and died March 24, 1767, leaving a daughter. 2. Lady Iſabella, born April 4, 1748, married Nov. 27, 1768, to Lord Viſcount Molyneux, now Earl of Sefton. 3. Lady Emilia, born May 24, 1749, married April 16, 1767, to Richard Earl of Barrymore. 4. Lady Henrietta, born Oct. 26, 1750, married March 15, 1776, to the Hon. Thomas Foley, ſon of Lord Foley. 5. Charles Viſcount Peterſham, born March 17, 1753. 6. Henry, born May 29, 1754. 7. Lady Anna-Maria, born March 31, 1760.

pp. 186. Sir JOHN Stanhope, father of Philip the firſt Earl of Cheſterfield, married to his ſecond wife Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Trentham, by whom he had Sir John Stanhope, who died the 29th of May, 1638. He married firſt Olivia, daughter of Edward Berrisford, Eſq. by whom he had an only daughter married to Charles Cotton, Eſq. His ſecond wife was Mary, daughter of Sir John Radcliff, and by her who ſurvived him, had ſeven ſons, and three daughters; of which John, Thomas, and Frances, died infants; Anne married Sir Thomas Ellys; Radclyffe, Cromwell, Byron, Alexander, and Elizabeth, had no iſſue; another

JOHN his heir married Jane, daughter of Sir John Curzon, and dying March 26, 1662, left an only ſon,

JOHN Stanhope, who married Dorothy, daughter of Charles Agard, Eſq. and had four ſons, John, Thomas, Charles, and William; whereof the eldeſt died young; and the ſecond married Jane, one of the daughters to Gilbert Thacker, Eſq. Relict of Charles Stanhope, ſecond ſon of Philip Earl of Cheſterfield, who took the name of Wotton, and died on the 11th of April, 1730, without iſſue; Charles, the third ſon, died unmarried, March 17, 1760.

(1ſt E.)

(1st E.) WILLIAM the youngest son, was created Lord Harrington, which title was formerly in John third son of Sir Michael Stanhope, ancestor of the Earl of Chesterfield. On the 19th of Feb. 1742, he was created Visc. Petersham, and Earl of Harrington. He married Anne, daughter to Colonel Edward Griffith, and had issue two sons William and Thomas, who were twins, and were born the 18th of Dec. 1719, of whom she died in childbed; Thomas died in Feb. 1743. His Lordship dying Dec. 8, 1756, was succeeded by

(2d E.) WILLIAM his only son, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Harrington, in the county of Northampton, Nov. 20, 1729, Viscount and Earl, Feb. 9, 1742.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *ermine* and *gules*, a crescent on a crescent for difference. [Plate XV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a tower, *argent*, with a demi-lion rampant, issuing from the battlements, *or*, holding between his paws a grenade firing; *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a talbot, *argent*, gutte de poix; on the sinister a wolf, *ermine*; each supporter gorged with a garland or chaplet of oak, *vert*, fructed, *or*.

MOTTO.] *A deo & rege.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Petersham in Surrey; at Linby in the county of Nottingham.

WALLOP, EARL OF PORTSMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WALLOP, Earl of PORTSMOUTH, Viscount Limington, and Baron Wallop of Farley-Wallop, succeeded his grandfather, Nov. 23, 1762. He married August 27, 1763, Urania, daughter of Coulson Fellows, Esq.

This noble family is descended from Matthew Wallop, of Wallop in the county of Hants, who was living in the 8th of Edw. I.

STEPHEN Wallop, who from him descended, married a daughter of — Ashley, of Winbourne St. Giles, in the county of Dorset, Esq. and had Sir John, Sir Oliver, and Gyles.

Sir JOHN Wallop was Admiral and Commander of the Fleet in the 6th of Henry VIII. He married first Elizabeth,

beth, Relict of Gerald, the 8th Earl of Kildare, and daughter of Sir Oliver St. John; secondly Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Clement Harleston; but leaving no issue,

Sir OLIVER his brother, became heir. He married 1st Bridget, daughter of ——— Pigot, Esq. by whom he had three sons, and a daughter Rose, married to Walter Lambert, Esq. He married secondly Anne, daughter of Robert Martin, Esq. and widow of Thomas Tregonell, of Milton-Abbey in Dorset, and had issue William, Stephen, Anne, and Grace. The sons by the first wife were Sir Henry; William, who married three wives, the last of whom was Margery, daughter of John Fisher of Chilton-Candover, Esq. but died without issue, Nov. 13, 1617; and Richard.

Sir HENRY, married Catharine, daughter of Richard Gifford, Esq. and had three sons and three daughters; Anne married to Sir Richard Powlett; Bridget to Nicholas Halfwell, Esq. and Winfred to Sir Richard Gifford. Of the sons, Oliver the second, and William the third, both lost their lives in the service of their country.

Sir HENRY the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Corbet, Esq. and had Robert his heir, and five daughters; Anne married to John Dodington, Esq. Elizabeth, Catharine, and Theodosia, all died unmarried; and Bridget married Sir Henry Worsley. Robert succeeded his father, and died Nov. 19, 1667. He married Anne, daughter of Henry Earl of Southampton, and was succeeded by Henry his heir, who died Feb. 16, 1673. He married Dorothy, daughter of John Bluet, Esq. and had four sons; Robert the eldest died before his father, unmarried, as did Charles the youngest.

HENRY, 2d son, succeeded his father, and died unmarried Dec. 28, 1691.

JOHN, his only surviving brother, became heir. He married Alicia, daughter of William Borlase, Esq. by whom he had five sons and two daughters, Elizabeth, who died unmarried, and Mary married to Henry Lord Herbert of Chisbury.

BLUET, the eldest son, succeeded his father in January, 1694, and died unmarried, Oct. 30, 1707; Henry, second son, William, fourth son, and Robert, fifth, all died young.

(1st E.) JOHN, third son, succeeded his brother, and on the ~~13th of April, 1729~~ ^{11th of April, 1729}, was created a Peer. On the 26th of May, 1716, he married the Lady Bridget, eldest daughter

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daughter of Charles Bennet, Earl of Tankerville, by which Lady, who died Oct. 12, 1738, he had issue, 1. John Visc. Lymington, born Aug. 3, 1718, married July 12, 1740, Catharine, daughter and heiress of John Conduit of Cranbery, in Hampshire, by Catharine his wife, neice and coheiress of the celebrated Sir Isaac Newton; and dying in 1749, left issue by his Lady, who died April 15, 1750, John, the present Earl, Henry, Barton, and Bennet, also a daughter, Catharine. 2. Lady Bridget, who died in June 1736. 3. Borlase, died in April, 1741. 4. Lady Mary died young. 5. Charles. 6. Lady Anne, who died March 3, 1759. 7. Bluet, died in 1749. The three following, Elizabeth, Henry, and Bennet, died young. His Lordship married secondly, Elizabeth, eldest daughter to James Lord Griffin, and relict of Henry Grey, Esq. *of Bellingbear* but died without issue by her, on Nov. 23, 1762, and was succeeded by his grandson,

(2d E.) JOHN, eldest son of John, Viscount Lymington, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Wallop, Viscount Lymington, in the county of Southampton, June 11, 1720, and Earl of Portsmouth April 11, 1743.

ARMS.] *Argent*; a bend wavy, *sable*. [Plate XVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mermaid, holding in her dexter hand a mirror, in the other a comb, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two chamois, or wild goats, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *En suivant la verité.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hursbourn and Farley Wallop in Hants.

GREVILLE, EARL OF WARWICK AND BROOKE.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE GREVILLE, Earl of WARWICK and BROOKE, and Lord Brooke, Baron Brooke, of Beauchamp-court in Warwickshire, born Sept. 16, 1746, succeeded his father, the late Earl, July 6, 1773. He married first April 1, 1771, Georgina, daughter of Sir James Peachy, by which Lady, who died April 5, 1772, he has a son George Lord Grevile, born March 24, 1772. He married secondly July 9, 1776, Miss Vernon, daughter of Richard Vernon, Esq.

Camden deduces the pedigree of this family from JOHN GREVILLE, who died in the Reign of Edw. III. William

his heir, had issue John and Lodowick, of whom hereafter. John married Joyce, daughter to Sir Walter, sister and heir to Hugh Cooksey, and had Sir John his heir, who died Aug. 6, 1480, and left Sir Thomas his only son, who at his father's decease, assumed the name of Cooksey, in respect to his inheritance from his grandmother. He died in 1499, leaving no issue, and his estate descended to John, great grandson of Lodowick, above-mentioned; which

Lodowick married Margaret, daughter of Sir Giles Ardene, by whom he had four sons, 1. William his heir; 2. Richard; 3. Robert; 4. John.

WILLIAM, married Anne, daughter to Sir Robert Francis, and dying in 1504, was succeeded by

RALPH his son, who married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Poyntz, Esq. by which match the Greviles have a right of quartering the arms of Poyntz, Bardolph, Mallet, Clanebow, and Acton. He had a son

JOHN, who on the death of Sir Thomas Grevile, alias Cooksey, succeeded. He married Jane, daughter of Sir Humphry Forster, and had Sir Edward his heir, and Robert, who left only two daughters, Dorothy, wife of Edward Morgan, Esq. and Anne, wife of Thomas Nevil, Esq.

SIR EDWARD, the eldest, married Anne, daughter of John Denton, Esq. by whom he had four sons, Sir John his heir, Sir Fulk, Thomas, and Edward, of whom the two last died unmarried. Sir John died Nov. 25, 1548, leaving by Elizabeth, daughter of John Spencer, Esq. a son Sir Edward, who married the daughter of William Willington, by whom he had an only son Lodowick, who left an only son Sir Edward, who married Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Bromley, by whom he had two daughters.

SIR FULK, second son of Sir Edward, married Elizabeth, grand-daughter and at length sole heir to Robert Lord Willoughby of Brooke, and dying in Nov. 1559, left three sons and four daughters, Mary married to William Harris, Esq. Eleanor to Sir John Conway; Catharine to Giles Read, Esq. and Blanch, who died unmarried. The sons were Sir Fulk his heir, Robert, of whom hereafter, and Sir Edward.

SIR FULK, who succeeded, dying in 1606, left by Anne, daughter to Ralph Nevil Earl of Westmoreland, Fulk his heir, and a daughter Margaret, married to Sir Richard Verney, whereby his descendants obtained the title of Lord WILLOUGHBY OF BROOKE. *see p. 382*

(1st L.) Sir FULK her brother, obtained of Jam. I. a grant of the Castle of Warwick, and was created Baron Brooke, with limitation to his kinsman Robert, son of Fulk Grevile; but by one Haywood, in 1628, was stabbed in Brookehouse, Holbourn, of which he died, leaving no issue.

We now return to ROBERT, second son Sir Fulk. He had Fulk his heir, who had issue a daughter Dorothy, married to Sir Arthur Hesilrige, and

(2d L.) ROBERT his heir, who succeeded his Kinsman as Lord Brooke, pursuant to the limitation in the patent. He married the Lady Catharine, daughter to Francis Russell, the 4th Earl of Bedford, and left five sons, of which Edward the third, and Algernon the fourth, died unmarried. *shot as Richard ob. 1643 Cath*

(3d L.) FRANCIS, the eldest, succeeded his father, and dying unmarried,

(4th L.) ROBERT, the second, became heir; and marrying Anne, daughter of John Dodington, Esq. by her had six sons, who all died young, and two daughters; Anne married first to William the fourth Earl of Kingston, and afterwards to William Pierpoint, Esq. and Dodington to Charles Montagu, the first Duke of Manchester; but having no issue male, and dying Feb. 17, 1677, the honour descended to *Ann*

(5th L.) FULK, the fifth and youngest brother. He married Sarah, daughter to Francis Dashwood, Esq. Alderman of London, and had four sons and seven daughters; Catharine, Anne, Elizabeth, Sarah, Mary, Diana, and Henrietta; of which the latter was married to Sir James Long; Elizabeth the 3d, married Francis North, the second Lord Guildford; and Catharine the eldest married first to Wriothesley-Baptist Noel, Earl of Gainsborough, and next to John Sheffield, Duke of Buckingham; the other four died unmarried. Of the sons, who were Francis, Algernon, Dodington, and Robert; the two latter died unmarried; Algernon married Mary, daughter to the Lord Arthur Somerset, by whom he had one son Fulk Grevile, Esq. and two daughters; and their father dying on the 22d of Oct. 1710, and *Sarah*

FRANCIS his eldest son dying eleven days before him, left issue by the Lady Anne Wilmot, daughter to John Earl of Rochester, two sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Catharine married to Charles Egerton, Esq; of the Sons, *Ann*

(6th L.) FULK the eldest succeeded his Grandfather, but dying in February following, unmarried, *ob. 1711*
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(7th L.) WILLIAM his Brother became Heir. He married Mary, Daughter to Henry Thynne, Esq; and by her, who died March 1720, had three Sons, William and Fulk, who died Infants; and their Father dying July 28, 1727, was succeeded by

(1st E.) FRANCIS, his only surviving Son, who, on the 7th of July 1746, was advanced to the Dignity of Earl Brooke of Warwick-Castle; and the late Earl of Warwick dying without Issue Male, his Lordship was created Earl of Warwick, Nov. 27, 1759. He, 16th May 1742, married Elizabeth, eldest Daughter of the Lord Archibald Hamilton, by whom he had, 1. George, the present Earl. 2. Charles-Francis, born May 12, 1749. 3. Robert Fulke, born Feb. 3, 1751. 4. Lady Louisa-Augusta, born April 14, 1743, married to William Churchill, of Henbury, Esq. 5. Lady Francis Elizabeth, born May 11, 1744, married July 17, 1764, to Sir Harry Harpur, Bart. 6. Lady Charlotte-Mary, born July 6, 1745, married August 14, 1762, to Lord Garlies, and died in 1763. 7. Lady Isabella, born March 1, 1748, who died the same day. 8, Lady Anne, born Aug. 28, 1760. And his Lordship deceasing July 6, 1773, was succeeded by his son,

(2d E.) GEORGE, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Lord Brooke of Beauchampscourt, in the county of Warwick, January 9, 1620, the 18th of James I. Earl Brooke of Warwick castle, 7th of July 1746, 20 Geo. II. and Earl of the county of Warwick, Nov. 27, 1759.

ARMS.] *Sable*, on a cross, within a border ingrailed, *or*, five pellets of the *first*. (*Plate 16.*)

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a swan, with wings expanded, *argent*; beaked, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two Swans, *argent*; beaked and membered, *sable*; and ducally gorged, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Vix ea nostra voco.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Warwick-castle in Warwickshire, and Richmond in the county of Surry.

GOWER, EARL GOWER.

THE Right Hon. GRANVILLE-LEVESON GOWER, Earl Gower, Viscount Trentham, and Lord Gower, Baron of Stittenham, and Baronet, succeeded his father, Dec.

*the married Archd. Macdonald Esq.
27. Dec. 1771*

5, 1754. He married, in 1744, Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Fazakerley, Esq; who died May 19, 1745, by whom he had a son named John, who died the same day. He married to his second wife, March 31, 1748, the Lady Louisa Egerton, daughter of George Duke of Bridgewater, by which Lady, who died March 14, 1761, he had issue,

1. Lady Louisa, born October 22, 1749. 2. Lady Carolina, born November 2, 1753, who married March 22, 1770, the Earl of Carlisle. 3. George Granville-Leveson, Viscount Trentham, born January 9, 1758. 4. Lady Anne, born February 22, 1761. He married, May 23, 1768, his third wife, Lady Susanna, daughter of the Earl of Galloway, by whom he has Granville Leveson, Ladies Georgina, Charlotte, and Susan.

Sir ALLAN GOWER of Stittenham, at the time of the Norman Conquest, was Sheriff of that County; and from him, in a direct line, the family hath continued their seat at Stittenham to the present time.

Sir EDWARD GOWER, married Margaret, Daughter to Sir Robert Constable, and had two Sons and three Daughters, Catherine, Agnes, and Barbara. Of the Sons, Richard the 2d married Agnes, Daughter of William Leving, and had issue Edward, Thomas, Francis, and Ralph.

THOMAS, eldest son of Sir Edward, was Marshall of Berwick, in the 1st of Edward VI. He married 1st Anne, Daughter of John Malever, Esq; by whom he had no Issue; 2dly Barbara, Daughter to John Baxter, Esq; and by her he had four Sons, Thomas, Henry, William, and Edward, and three Daughters, Barbara, Isabella, and Jane.

THOMAS, the eldest Son, succeeded his Father, and married Mary, Daughter to Gabriel Fairfax; by her had Issue Thomas, Robert, Edward, Frances, and Elizabeth.

(1st Bart.) Sir THOMAS, the eldest Son, was created a Baronet, and married Anne, third Daughter and Coheir to John Doyley, Esq; and had seven Sons.

(2d Bart.) Sir THOMAS the eldest, married 1st Elizabeth, Sister to Charles the first Earl of Carlisle, by whom he had no Issue; 2dly Frances, Daughter of Sir John Leveson, and Sister and Coheir to Sir Richard Leveson of Trentham, in the County of Stafford, and by her had, 1. Edward. 2. William-Leveson. 3. Frances, married to Sir James Wood.

EDWARD

EDWARD died in his Father's Life-time, and left issue by Dorothy, Daughter of Sir Thomas Wentworth.

(3d Bart.) Sir THOMAS, Heir to his Grandfather, who died October 28, 1689, unmarried,

(4th Bart.) Sir WILLIAM-LEVESON, 2d Son, marrying the Lady Jane, Daughter to John Granville, Earl of Bath, by her had three Sons, John, Richard, and William, and two Daughters; Catharine married to Sir Edward Windham, and Jane to Henry, late Earl of Clarendon and Rochester.

(1st L.) JOHN, the eldest Son, was created Lord Gower of Stittenham, and dying Sept. 10, 1709, left Issue by the Lady Catharine, Daughter to John Manners, the first Duke of Rutland, four Sons and two Daughters, Catharine, who died on the 20th of April 1712; and Jane, who was married to John Proby, Esq; the Sons were John, William, Thomas, and Baptist. Thomas died 1727. William May 26, 1730; was married to Anne, Sister to Sir Richard Grosvenor, and by her, who died Dec. 13, 1731, had a Daughter Catharine, and died Dec. 13, 1756.

(1st E.) JOHN, the eldest Son, succeeded his Father, and was created an Earl. On the 19th of March, 1712, he married to his first Wife the Lady Evelyn Pierpoint, Daughter to Evelyn/Duke of Kingston, and by her, who died 27 June, 1727, had issue, 1. John, who died in July 1723. 2. William, who died April 14, 1739. 3. Granville Leveson, now Earl Gower. 4. Richard-Leveson died October 19, 1753, unmarried. 5. Lady Gertrude, married to John Duke of Bedford. 6. Lady Mary, to Sir Richard Wrottesley, Bart. 7. Jane, died in May, 1737, unmarried. 8. Lady Frances, married the Lord John-Philip Sackville. 9. Lady Elizabeth, married to Earl Waldegrave. 10. Lady Evelyn, married first to John Fitzpatrick, Earl of Upper-Osford; 2dly, to Richard Vernon, Esq. He married secondly Penelope, Daughter of Sir John Stonehouse, and relict of Sir Henry Atkins, by whom he had a daughter Penelope, born in June, 1733, and died in March 1734. This Lady died the 19th of August. 1735. He married to his 3d wife, the lady Mary, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Tba-net, and relict of Anthony, Earl of Harold, and by her had issue, 1. a daughter Mary, who died young; 2. Thomas, born in August, 1738, died in 1740; 3. John, born in

in 1743, a Captain in the navy, married to Miss Boscawen, July 6, 1773; 4. Thomas, who died an infant. His lordship dying the 25th of Dec. 1754, was succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

(2d E.) GRANVILLE-LEVESON, now Earl of Gower.

CREATIONS.] Lord Gower of Stittenham, in Yorkshire, March 16, 1703, Viscount Trentham in the county of Stafford, and Earl Gower, the 8th of July, 1746.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, barry of eight, *argent* and *gules*; over all, a cross-flory, *sable*, for Gower. Second and third, *azure*, three laurel leaves erect, *or*, for Leveson. [Plate XVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wolf passant, *argent*; collared and chained, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wolves, *argent*, each having a collar and chain, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Frangas, non flectes.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Trentham in the county of Stafford; at Stittenham in Yorkshire.

HOBART, EARL OF BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN HOBART, Earl of BUCKINGHAMSHIRE, Lord Hobart, Baron Hobart of Blickling and Baronet: succeeded his father John the late Earl, Sept. 22, 1756. He married Mary-Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Drury, Bart. by whom he has issue, 1. Lady Henrietta, born April 7, 1762; 2. Lord Hobart, born March, 1767, died Dec. 20, 1775. 3. Lord Hobart, born Feb. 11, 1775, and died Feb. 15, 1776. This Lady dying, his Lordship married, 2dly, Sept. 24, 1770, Miss Conolly, daughter of Lady Anne Conolly.

THOMAS Hobart, of Leyham in Norfolk, Esq. having two sons, William and James, the eldest succeeded him.

Sir JAMES the younger son, married Margaret, daughter to Peter Raunton, Esq. and had two sons and one daughter. Of the sons, who were Sir Walter and Miles, the eldest, who succeeded, married first Anne, daughter to Sir Henry Heydon; secondly, a daughter of John Ratcliff, Lord Fitz-Walter, and sister to Robert Earl of Suffex.

MILES the second son of Sir James, marrying Eleanor, daughter of John Blenerhasset, Esq. had two sons Thomas
and

and John; Thomas married Audery, daughter to William Hare, Esq. by whom he had Sir Miles, and

(1st Bart.) Sir HENRY, who in 1611 was created a Baronet, and made Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas. He married Dorothy, daughter to Sir Robert Bell, and had twelve sons and four daughters, Dorothy, Mary, Elizabeth married to John Lisle, Esq. Frances married to — Hewet, Esq. Of the sons, Sir Miles the second married Susan, daughter to Sir John Peyton, and had Sir John his heir, and Alice, married to John Jeremy, Esq.

(2d Bart.) Sir JOHN married first Philippa, daughter to Robert Sidney, Earl of Leicester; and secondly Frances, daughter to John the first Earl of Bridgewater; but leaving no issue male, the title and estate descended to his nephew

(3d Bart.) Sir JOHN, son of his brother Sir Miles Hobart. He married Mary, daughter to John Hampden, Esq. and widow of Colonel Hammond, and had three sons, Henry, John, and Thomas, and two daughters, Philippa married to Sir Charles Pye, and Mary, who died unmarried. Thomas the youngest son, died unmarried; John the second, who died Nov. 7, 1734, was a Brigadier-General, and

(4th Bart.) Sir HENRY the eldest, who was slain in a duel by Oliver le Neve, Esq. in 1697, and left issue by a daughter of Sir John Maynard, John his heir, and three daughters, Henrietta, Catharine, and Dorothy, the latter died unmarried; the second was married to Lieutenant-General Charles Churchill, and the eldest to Charles⁹ Earl of Suffolk, and secondly to the Hon George Berkeley.

(1st E.) JOHN, in May 1728, was created Lord Hobart, and Earl of Buckinghamshire in Aug. 1746. He married first Judith, daughter to Robert Britiffe, Esq. and by her (who died the 7th of Feb. 1727) had three sons; Henry, who died an infant; John, the present Earl; and Robert, who died in May, 1733; also five daughters; of whom the Lady Dorothy only is living, and was married on the 21st of October, 1752, to Sir Charles Hotham, who has taken the name of Thompson. Feb. 10, 1728, his Lordship married secondly Elizabeth, sister to Robert Bristow, Esq. by whom he had two sons; George married in May, 1757, to Albina, daughter of Lord Vere Bertie, son of Robert the first Duke of Ancaster, by whom he has a son, born

March

March 3, 1758; and Henry. Her Ladyship deceased after the Earl in Sept. 1762, and his Lordship dying Sept. 22, 1756, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d E.) JOHN, now Earl of Buckinghamshire.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Hobart May 28, 1728, and Earl of Buckinghamshire, Sept. 6, 1746.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a star of eight rays, *or*, between two planches, *ermine*. [Plate XVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a bull passant, party per pale, *sable* and *gules*, all bezanty, and a ring in his nose, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a stag; on the sinister, a talbot; both *proper*, regardant, each having a radiant collar and line, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Auctor pretiosa facit.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Blickling in the county of Norfolk.

FITZ-WILLIAM, EARL FITZ-WILLIAM.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM FITZ-WILLIAM, Earl FITZ-WILLIAM, Viscount Milton, Lord Fitz-William, and Baron of Milton in England; also Earl Fitz-William, Viscount Milton, and Baron Fitz-William of Liffer, or Lifford in Ireland, was born May 30, 1748, and succeeded his father William, the late Earl, Aug. 10, 1756. His Lordship married in July, 1770, Lady Charlotte Ponsonby, daughter of the Right Hon. the Earl of Besborough.

This noble family is descended from William, called Fils-Guillaume, who entered England with William the Conqueror, and was Marshal of his army.

Sir WILLIAM Fitz-William married Eleanor, daughter to Sir John de Emley, Lord of Emley, in the county of York who lived in the days of King Stephen, and had

WILLIAM Fitz-William, Lord of Emley, who lived in the reign of King Henry II. From him descended

Sir JOHN Fitz-William, who lived about the 6th of King Henry V. He married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Henry Green, and had issue John, who left no male issue; Nicholas, Ralph, Robert, William, and another JOHN, from whom is descended the Earl of Fitz-William.

JOHN, youngest son, married Ellen, daughter of William Villers, Esq. and had three sons, and two daughters. The sons were Sir William, Bartholomew, and Richard.

Sir

Sir WILLIAM the eldest son, married first Anne, daughter to Sir John Haws, Knt. and secondly to Mildred, daughter to Richard Sackville, Esq. and thirdly Jane, daughter to John Ormond; but by her he had no issue. By Mildred his second wife, he had three sons, and two daughters, Eleanor and Mary. The sons were Francis, Thomas, and Christopher; but by Anne, his first wife, he had two sons, and two daughters; whereof Anne, was married to Sir Anthony Cook, and Elizabeth to Sir Thomas Brudenel. The sons were Sir William, and Richard.

Sir WILLIAM the eldest son, married Anne, daughter to Sir Richard Sabcots, by whom he had four sons, and a daughter Christian, first married to Sir Richard Wingfield, and secondly to Sir George Delves. The sons were William, John, Bryan, and John. *2d Deputy of Ireland 1550*

he was
living
in 1588 Sir WILLIAM the eldest son, was born in 1526. He married Anne, daughter to Sir William Sydney, and left issue two sons, and three daughters; whereof Margaret the youngest, was married to John Byron, Esq. Philippa, 2d daughter, married Sir Thomas Coningsby; and Mary the eldest, to Sir Richard Dyer. Of the two sons, which were Sir William, and John, the youngest died without issue.

Sir WILLIAM the eldest son, married Winifred, daughter to Sir Walter Mildmay, and had two sons, Sir William and Walter; and a daughter Anne, married to John Isham, Esq.

(1st L.) Sir WILLIAM the eldest son, was created Lord Fitz-William. He married Catharine, daughter to William Hyde, Esq. and dying on the 6th of Jan. 1643, left two sons, and two daughters; of which Catharine the youngest, married Sir John Lee; but Winifred the eldest, died without issue in 1635, as did John the youngest son, in Nov. 1637.

(2d L.) WILLIAM the eldest son, succeeded his father. He married Jane, daughter to Hugh Hunter, alias Perry, Alderman of London, and had four sons, and three daughters; whereof Catharine the eldest, and Frances the youngest, died unmarried; but Jane the second daughter, married Sir Christopher Wren. Of the sons, which were William, William, Charles, and Ferdinand; the first died six months old; Ferdinand died without issue; as did Charles in 1689, but,

(3d L. 1st E.) WILLIAM the second son, succeeded his father the 28th of December 1658, and on the 21st of July,

July, 1716, was created Visc. Miltown, and Earl of Fitz-William of the county of Tyrone, but died Dec. 28, 1719. He married Anne, daughter to Edmund Cremor, Esq. and by her, who died the 4th of Feb. 1717, had four sons, and six daughters; wherof the Ladies Catharine, Frances, Rachel, Mary, and Jane, died young; but the Lady Anne-Maria married Sir Charles Barrington. Of the sons, which were William, Charles, John, and George, the eldest, second, and fourth, died unmarried.

(2d E.) JOHN the third son, succeeded his father, but died Aug. 28, 1728. He married Anne, daughter to John Stringer, Esq. and had issue three daughters; Lady Anne, born Aug. 23, 1722, married the 28th of May, 1748, to Francis, now Lord Godolphin; Lady Elizabeth, born Dec. 9, 1724; and Lady Mary, born Feb. 4, 1725, married March 21, 1752, to William Archer, Esq. and died Sept. 10, 1776; also one son,

(3d E.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, and was created an English Baron, Viscount and Earl. On June 22, 1744, he married the Lady Anne, daughter of Thomas late Marquis of Rockingham, by which Lady, who died May 4, 1759, he had William the present Earl; George; Lady Anne, born March 25, 1744; Lady Charlotte, born July 14, 1746, and married May 24, 1764, to Thomas Dundas, Esq. Lady Frances, born Oct. 22, 1750; Lady Amelia, died an infant; Lady Henrietta, born March 20, 1753; and Lady Dorothy, born May 22, 1754. His Lordship dying Aug. 9, 1756, was succeeded by his only son

(4th E.) WILLIAM, now Earl Fitz-William.

CREATIONS.] Baron April 19, 1742, Viscount and Earl Sept. 6, 1746, English honours. Baron, Dec. 1, 1620, Viscount and Earl, July 21, 1716, Irish honours.

ARMS.] Lozenges, *argent*, and *gules*. [Plate XVI.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a triple plume of feathers, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two savage men, *proper*; wreathed about their heads and waists, *vert*; and in their exterior hands a tree eradicated, the top broken off.

MOTTO.] *Appetitus, rationi, pareat.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Milton in the county of Northampton.

HERBERT, EARL OF POWYS.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE EDWARD HENRY ARTHUR HERBERT, Earl of Powys, Viscount Ludlow, Lord Herbert of Cherbury, Baron Powys of Powys-castle, and Baron Herbert of Cherbury and of Ludlow, born July 7, 1755, succeeded his father, the late Earl, Sept. 11, 1772.

1. E. of Pembroke
 Sir WILLIAM ap Thomas of Ragland-castle had issue, 1. William; 2. Sir Richard Herbert; 3. Elizabeth. William, the eldest son, on the 27th of May, the 8th of Edw. IV. was advanced to the title of Earl of Pembroke. He married Anne, sister to Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers of Chartley, and had issue, 1. William, who succeeded to the Earldom of Pembroke; but King Edward being desirous to dignify his son Prince Edward with the title of Earl of Pembroke, procured a resignation of it, and in lieu thereof created him Earl of Huntingdon, July 4, the 19th of his reign. He married Mary, daughter of Richard Woodville, Earl Rivers, by whom he had Elizabeth his only daughter and heir, married to Charles Somerset, Earl of Worcester. The other children of William Earl of Pembroke were, 2. Sir Walter; 3. Sir George; 4. Philip; and six daughters; Cecilie, married to the Lord Greystocke; Maud to Henry the 4th Earl of Northumberland; Catharine to George the 2d Earl of Kent: Anne to John Grey, Lord Powys; Isabel to Sir Thomas Cooksey; and Margaret, 1st to Thomas Talbot, Viscount Lisle, and 2dly to Sir Henry Brodingham: and the said Earl had issue by Maud (his concubine) daughter of Adam ap Howel Graunt, Richard, from whom the present Earl of PEMBROKE, and the late Marquis of POWYS descended.

E. of Huntingdon
 Sir RICHARD Herbert, brother to William Earl of Pembroke, married Margaret, sister to Sir Rice ap Thomas, by whom he had three sons, 1. William: 2. Richard; 3. Thomas.

RICHARD the 2d son, left issue by Anne, daughter of Sir David ap Enion ap Leuellin Vaughan,

Sir EDWARD his heir, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Matthew Price, Esq; by whom he had issue three sons and five daughters; Mary, Catharine, Anne, Jane, and Bridget. The sons were Richard, Matthew ancestor of the present Earl of POWYS, and Charles.

RICHARD

RICHARD the eldest son, married Magdalen, daughter to Sir Richard Newport, and by her, who afterwards married Sir John Danvers, had seven sons, and three daughters; Elizabeth married to Sir Henry Jones; Margaret to John Vaughan, Esq; and Frances to Sir John Brown. The sons were¹ Edward,² Richard,³ William,⁴ Charles,⁵ George, Sir Henry, and Thomas.

(1st L.) EDWARD, the eldest, was created Lord Herbert of Castle-Island in Ireland, 31st of Dec. 20 Jam. I. and on the 7th of May, 5 Ch. I. was created Lord Herbert of Cherbury. He married Mary, daughter to Sir William Herbert. By this Lady he had Richard his heir, Edward and Beatrix, who died unmarried.

(2d L.) RICHARD, Lord Herbert. He died May 13, 1655, and having married Mary, daughter to John the 1st Earl of Bridgewater, had issue four sons, Edward his successor, John who died young, Henry who succeeded his brother Edward, and Thomas who died unmarried; also four daughters; Frances married to William Brown, Esq; Florence to Richard Herbert; Arabella; and Alice married to Paul Burrard, Esq.

(3d L.) EDWARD, their eldest brother, married first Anne, daughter to Sir Thomas Myddleton; 2dly Elizabeth, daughter of George Chandos, but died without issue Dec. 9, 1678, and was succeeded by

(4th L.) HENRY, his brother, who married Catharine, daughter to Francis the 1st Earl of Bradford, but dying without issue April 21, 1691, the honour became extinct. We now return to

Sir HENRY, 6th brother to Edward, created Lord Herbert, who left issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Robert Offley,

(5th L.) HENRY, who died Jan. 22, 1709, leaving issue by Anne, daughter of Alderman Ramsey, of London,

(6th L.) HENRY, his heir, who on Dec. 12, 1709, married Mary, sister to John Earl of Portsmouth; and dying without issue in April 1738, the title again became extinct. We now return to

MATTHEW Herbert, second son of Edward, Grandfather of Edward, first Lord Herbert; who having married Anne, daughter of Charles Fox, Esq; had Francis his heir, who married first Dorothy, daughter to Richard Parry, Bishop of St. Asaph, by whom he had no issue; 2dly a daughter of — Garton, Esq; by whom he had

X issue Richard Herbert, who married Florence, daughter to Richard the second Lord Herbert, by whom he left two sons, Francis and George, father of Francis Herbert, Esq; to whom the titles of Baron Herbert and Cherbury are limited.

FRANCIS, the eldest, marrying Dorothy, daughter of John Oldbury, and dying Feb. 27, 1719, left issue five sons, Henry-Arthur; Richard, who died May 16, 1754; Francis, who died in 1730, unmarried; Herbert and John, who both died in 1719 unmarried; and three daughters, Urania married to Coulston Fellows, Esq; Dorothy to John Harris, Esq. and Florence died in 1720.

(1st E.) HENRY-ARTHUR, their eldest brother, was created Lord Herbert of Cherbury, Viscount Ludlow, and Earl of Powys, on March 30, 1751. He married Barbara, only daughter of Lord Edward Herbert, brother to William the last Marquis of Powys, by whom he had George Edward Henry Arthur, the present Earl, and Lady Harriet, born Sept. 3, 1758; and his Lordship deceasing Sept. 4, 1772, was succeeded by his son,

(2d E.) GEORGE EDWARD HENRY ARTHUR, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Herbert of Cherbury in the county of Salop, Dec. 21, 1743; Baron Powys of Powys-castle, Viscount Ludlow, and Earl of Powys-castle, the 27th of May 1748; and on the 7th of Oct. 1749, Baron Herbert, of Cherbury and Ludlow, and to the heirs of his body, with remainder to Richard Herbert, Esq; his brother, and the heirs of his body; and in default of such issue to Francis Herbert of Ludlow, Esq; and the heirs male of his body.

ARMS.] Party-per-pale, *azure* and *gules*, three lions rampant, *argent*; armed and langued, *or*. [Plate 16.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wyvern, with wings expanded, *vert*, holding in his mouth a sinister hand, couped at the wrist, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, *argent*, semée of roses, armed and langued, *gules*. And on the sinister side, a lion, *azure*; semée of fleurs-de-lis, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Fortitudine & Prudentia*, and sometimes *Ung se serviray*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Powys-castle in Montgomeryshire; at Oakley-park, in Shropshire.

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WYNDHAM, EARL OF EGREMONT.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE WYNDHAM, Earl of EGREMONT, Baron of Cockermouth, and Baronet, born December 7, 1751, and succeeded his father, the late Earl, Aug. 21, 1763.

This noble Lord derives his descent from Ailwardus, an eminent Saxon, who, soon after the Norman Conquest, being possessed of Lands at Wymondham, now called Wyndham, in the county of Norfolk, assumed his surname from thence.

Sir JOHN WYNDHAM, who in the 2d of Hen. VII. was beheaded on Tower-hill, married 1st the Lady Margaret, daughter of John the first Duke of Norfolk, by whom he had, 1. Sir Thomas; 2. Edward; 3. George; 4. Anne, married to Thomas Radcliffe, Esq; 5. Elizabeth, married first to Sir Francis Calthorpe, and 2dly to Sir John Culpepper; 6. Dorothy; 7. Frances. His second wife was Eleanor, daughter of Norman Washbourn, Esq; and widow of Richard Scrope, Esq; by whom he had only one son Francis.

Sir THOMAS, the eldest son, married 1st Eleanor, daughter of Sir Henry Scrope, by whom he had issue Sir Edmund and Sir John, ancestor of the Earl of Egremont, and three daughters, Margaret married to Sir Andrew Luttrell; Mary to Sir Erasmus Paston, and Elizabeth. He married 2dly Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Wentworth, by whom he had Sir Thomas.

Sir EDMUND, the eldest son, married Susan, daughter of Sir Roger Townshend, and had three sons and two daughters; Jane married first to John Pope, Esq; and secondly to Humphrey Coningsby, Esq. The sons were, 1. Roger, who died without issue; 2. Francis; 3. Thomas, who died unmarried Dec. 20, 1599. We now return to

Sir JOHN Wyndham, who by marriage with Elizabeth, daughter of John Sydenham, of Orchard, in the county of Somerset, Esq; had that estate, and it now retains the name of Orchard Wyndham. He had issue, 1. John; 2. Edmund, who married Mary, daughter of Richard Chamberlain, Esq; and had several children. Sir Hugh, his 4th son, was created a Baronet, Aug. 4, 1641. He married Mary, daughter of Christopher Alanfon, Esq; and

leaving only daughters, the title became extinct. Sir Thomas, elder brother to Sir Hugh, married Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Coningsby, Esq; and had several children.

Nic. JOHN, eldest son of the said Sir John, died in his father's life-time. He married Florence, daughter of John Wadham, Esq; founder of Wadham-College in Oxford, by whom he had one son,

Fra. 1661 Sir JOHN, who died in 1645. He married Joan, daughter of Sir Henry Portman, by whom he had nine sons and six daughters; 1. Henry, his eldest son, succeeded him; 2. John, died unmarried; 3. Thomas, died Apr. 5, 1749; 4. Humphrey; 5. Sir Hugh; 6. Sir Wadham; 7. George, died unmarried; 8. Sir George; and 9. Francis, who died unmarried. His daughters were Joan, wife of John Gifford; Margaret, wife of John Courtenay; and Florence, wife of John Harris, Esqrs; Rachel, wife of Thomas Moore, Esq; Margery, wife of Thomas Carew, Esq; and Ann, wife of Sir John Strode.

JOHN, the eldest surviving son, married Catharine, daughter of Robert Hopton, Esq. He died in 1649, leaving Sir William Wyndham his heir, Thomas, and three other sons, who died unmarried; also four daughters; Florence, wife of Sir John Mallet; Mary, wife of William Okeden, Esq; Ann, wife of Anthony Bullen, Esq; and Catharine, married 1st to John Specot, Esq; and afterwards to John Tanner, Esq.

Willm. 1st Bar. Sir WILLIAM Wyndham was created a Baronet the 13th of Charles II. and died in 1683. By Frances his wife, daughter of Anthony Hungerford, Esq. he had John, William, and Hugh, who all died unmarried; Sir Edward, who succeeded him; Rachel, married first to Sir George Speke, and afterwards to Richard Musgrave, Esq. Elizabeth married to Thomas Earl, Esq. Frances to Nathaniel Palmer, Esq. and Joan to William Carey, Esq.

1688 Sir EDWARD Wyndham, Bart. married Catharine, daughter of Sir William Levison Gower, by whom he had *2nd Bar.* Sir William Wyndham, and one daughter Jane, married Sir Richard Grosvenor. *4th Bar.*

Willm. 3rd Bar. Sir WILLIAM, his successor, died June 17, 1740. He married July 21, 1708, the Lady Catharine Seymour, daughter of Charles Duke of Somerset, by whom he had two sons and two daughters, Sir Charles his successor, late Earl of Egremont, and Percy O'Brien, (who inherited the estate

estate of Henry Obrien, Earl of Thomond, who married the Lady Elizabeth, his mother's eldest sister, and took the name and arms of Obrien, and on the 30th of Nov. 1756, was created Baron of Ibrican and Earl of Thomond in Ireland, and died in July 1774; Catharine, who died unmarried in April 1734; and Elizabeth, married in 1749 to George Grenville, Esq; brother to the Earl Temple, and died in November, 1769, Sir William's second Lady was Maria Catharina, daughter of M. Peter D. Jong, relict of William, Marquis of Blandford, by which last wife he had no issue,

(1st E.) ALGERNON, Duke of Somerset, was created Earl of Egremont and Baron Cockermouth, Oct. 18, 1749, with limitation of those honours to his nephew, Sir Charles Wyndham, and his brother Percy; and his Grace dying on the 7th of Feb. 1750, was succeeded in the said titles by the said

3rd (2d E.) CHARLES, late Earl of Egremont. On Feb. 22, 1751, he married Alicia Maria, daughter of George Lord Carpenter, by whom he had, 1. George, the present Earl; 2. Percy Charles, born Sept. 23, 1757; 3. Charles William, born Oct. 8, 1760; 4. William Frederick, born April 7, 1763; 5. Lady Elizabeth Alicia Maria, born November 29, 1752, married in July 1771 to the Hon. Henry Herbert; 6. Lady Frances, born July 9, 1755, married August 16, 1776, to Lord Romney; 7. Lady Charlotte, died young. The Countess their mother was married secondly, July 8, 1767, to Count Bruhl. His Lordship died Aug. 21, 1763, and was succeeded by

(3d E.) GEORGE, his eldest son, now Earl of Egremont.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron of Cockermouth, and Earl of Egremont, both in the county of Cumberland, the 18th of Oct. 1749, 23 George II.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a chevron between three lions heads, erased, *or*. [*Piate* 17.]

CREST.] A lion's head, erased, within a fetterlock, *or*.

SUPPORTES.] On the dexter side, a lion rampant, *azure*, winged invertedly, *or*; on the sinister side, a gryphon, *argent*, gutté de sang.

MOTTO.] *Au bon Droit*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Orchard-Wyndham in Somersetshire; Petworth, in the county of Sussex, and Wreslcastle in Yorkshire.

GRENVILLE-TEMPLE, EARL TEMPLE.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD GRENVILLE-TEMPLE, Earl TEMPLE, Visc. and Baron Cobham; was born September 26, 1711. He married, May 9, 1737, Anna, one of the daughters and coheiresses of Thomas Chambers, of Hanworth in the county of Middlesex, Esq. and had only one daughter by her, who died July 14, 1742. And her Ladyship died April 7, 1777.

The family of Temple, from whom this Lord is maternally descended, is said to be derived from Leofrick, Earl of Mercia, who founded the Abbey of Coventry, and dying in 1087, was buried in that monastery. He married the famous Lady Godiva, who is reported to have rode naked through Coventry to obtain some immunities from her husband to that place.

John
his son
being
at Stow
Anthony
PETER Temple purchased several manors in the county of Warwick, (and also the manor of Stow in the county of Bucks,) in the reign of King Edward VI. and Queen Eliz. He married Millicent, daughter of William Jeckyll, Esq. and had two sons, whereof Anthony the youngest was father of Sir William, from whom descended the famous Sir William Temple, Bart. and Henry Temple, Visc. PALMERSTON in Ireland.

John
JOHN the eldest, who was born in 1542, succeeded his father. He died on the 9th of May, 1603, having married Susan, daughter to Thomas Spencer, Esq. left six sons and six daughters, Millicent married to Edward Saunders, Esq. Dorothy to Paul Risley, Esq. Catharine to Sir Nicholas Parker; Susanna to Sir Thomas Denton; Mary to John Farmer, Esq. and Elizabeth to William the first Visc. Say and Sele. Of the sons, which were Thomas, George, John, Sir Alexander, William, and Peter;

J. Bar
Sir THOMAS the eldest succeeded, and was created a Baronet. He married Hester, daughter of Miles Sandys, Esq. by whom he had four sons, and nine daughters, who lived to be married, and multiplied so exceedingly, that this Lady, who survived him, saw seven hundred descended from her, besides a new generation of marriageable females, just at her death, which is affirmed by Dr. Fuller, in his Worthies of England. Their sons were, 1. Sir Peter; 2. Sir John, who married Dorothy, daughter of Edmond Lee; 3. Thomas; 4. Miles. The daughters
were

were Susan, married to Sir Edward Clark; Hester to Sir John Rous, Kt. Bridget to Sir John Lenthal; Martha to Sir Thomas Peniston; Elizabeth to Sir Henry Gibbs; Catharine to Sir William Ashcomb; Anne to Sir William Andrews; Margaret to Sir Edward Longueville; and Millicent to ——— Ogle, Esq.

SIR PETER his heir, married first Anne, daughter to Sir Arthur Throckmorton, by whom he had only two daughters, Anne married to Thomas Roper, Visc. Baltinglass; and Martha to Weston Ridgeway, Earl of Londonderry. By his second wife Christian, daughter of Sir John Leveson, he had two daughters, Frances and Hester, and

SIR RICHARD his heir, who married Mary, daughter to ——— Knap, Esq. and had four sons, and six daughters; whereof two died young; Christian, 3d daughter, was married to Sir Thomas Lyttleton; Maria, first to Dr. West, and secondly to Sir John Langham; Hester, the second daughter, late Countess Temple, ^{married Rich. Grenville} and Penelope to Moses Berenger, Esq. Of the sons, which were Richard, Purbeck, Henry, and Arthur, the three latter died unmarried, and

(1st V.) RICHARD, was created Baron and Viscount Cobham, and to his heirs; and in default, the dignities of Viscountess and Baroness Cobham to Hester Grenville sister of the said Richard, Baron of Cobham; and the dignities of Viscount Cobham, and Baron Cobham, to the heirs male of her body, lawfully begotten; and in default the same dignities to Dame Christian Lyttleton, third sister of the said Richard Lord Cobham, and to the heirs male of her body. He married Anne, daughter to Edward Halsey, Esq. but had no issue by this Lady, who died in March, 1760. And dying on the 13th of September 1749, was succeeded, pursuant to the limitation, by his eldest surviving sister,

(1st Countess.) HESTER Viscountess Cobham, whom x his Majesty, on the 18th of October, 1749, was pleased to create Countess Temple, and the dignity of Earl Temple to her heirs male. She married to Richard Grenville of Wotton in Bucks, Esq. which

RICHARD was born the 23d of March, 1678, and dying Feb. 17, 1727, left six sons and one daughter, 1. Richard the present Earl; 2. George, born in Oct. 1712, and died Nov. 13, 1770. He married in 1749, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Wyndham, by whom he had issue
George,

George, born June 1753, married to Lady — Nugent, only daughter of the Earl Nugent; Charlotte born Dec. 14, 1754, married Dec. 21, 1771, to Sir Watkins Williams Wynn; a daughter born Oct. 24, 1759; and a third daughter born Nov. 23, 1762; 3. Henry, born in April 1714, died in May, 1716; 4. James, born Feb. 12, 1715. He married Mary, daughter of James Smyth of Harding in Hertfordshire, Esq. and by her, who died Dec. 14, 1757, had issue two sons, James and Richard; 5. Henry, born in 1717, married Oct. 11, 1757, Margaret, daughter of Joseph Banks, Esq. by whom he has a daughter Louisa, born Aug. 10, 1758; 6. Thomas, born in 1719, killed in an engagement with a French squadron, May 3, 1747; 7. Lady Hester, who married in December 1754, William Pitt, now Earl of Chatham. And the Countess their mother dying Oct. 7, 1752, was succeeded by her eldest son,

(1st E.) RICHARD, now Earl Temple.

CREATIONS.] Baron and Viscount, May 23, 1718, Earl, Oct. 18, 1749.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, an eagle displayed, *fable*; second and third, *argent*; two bars, *fable*, each charged with three martlets, *or*. [*Plate XVII.*]

His Lordship quarters also the arms of Grenville, viz. *vert*, on a cross, *argent*, five torteaux.

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, a martlet close, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a lion party-per-fess embattled, *or*, and *gules*; on the sinister a horse, *argent*, powdered, with eaglets, *fable*.

MOTTO.] *Templa quam dilecta.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stow and Wotton, both in Bucks.

HARCOURT, EARL of HARCOURT.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE SIMON HARCOURT Earl of HARCOURT, Viscount Nuneham, Baron Harcourt, succeeded Simon, the late Earl, Sept. 16, 1777. His Lordship was born August 1, 1736, and married Oct. 8, 1765, to Elizabeth, daughter of Lord Vernon.

This family is descended from the illustrious house of the Harcourts in Normandy, who took their title from a place of the same name within that Duchy, and flourished there long before the Conquest.

Sir

Sir WILLIAM Harcourt married Jane, daughter of Richard Lord Grey of Codnor, and had two sons, 1. Sir Richard, who married Joan, daughter of Sir William Sharehull, and died in 1371; 2. Sir Thomas married Alice, daughter of John Lord Grey of Rotherfield, widow of Sir John de Botetourt, and had Thomas his heir, who married two wives, first Joan, daughter of Sir Robert Fraunceys, and had issue Sir Robert, who married Margaret, daughter of Sir John Byron, and had Sir John his heir, who by Anne, his wife, daughter of John Morris, had issue Robert Harcourt, who married Agnes, daughter of Thomas Lymerick, and had a son John, who died in his life-time; and four daughters his coheirs. Sir Thomas Harcourt, by Elizabeth, his second wife, had

Sir SIMON Harcourt, Knt. who married first Eleanor, daughter of Sir Roger Lawkner, by whom he had John; and by his second wife Edith, daughter of Thomas St. Clere, Esq. and widow of Miles Stapylton, Esq. had a son Christopher, who marrying Joan, daughter and heir of the before-mentioned Miles Stapylton, had issue Sir Simon Harcourt, who married Agnes, daughter of Thomas Darel, Esq. and had two sons, Sir John and Edward, and a daughter Florence, married to Robert Cotesmore, Esq. Sir John the eldest son married Mary, daughter of Sir William Barentyne, and had seven sons and nine daughters. Simon his eldest son, married first Mary, daughter of Sir Edward Aston; and secondly Grace, daughter of Humphry Fitzherbert, Esq. widow of William Robinson, Esq. and thirdly Jane, sister to Sir John Spencer. By his two last wives he had no issue; but by his first he had six sons, Walter, John, Robert, Edward, William, and Francis; and two daughters; Jane married to John Grey, Esq. and Elizabeth to Richard Chamberlain, Esq. He was succeeded by his eldest son Sir Walter, who by Dorothy, daughter of William Robinson, Esq. above-mentioned, had two sons, Robert and Michael; and three daughters; Grace who died young; Elizabeth married to Sir William Essex; and Elizabeth. Robert his heir, married first Elizabeth, daughter of John Fitzherbert, Esq. and secondly Frances, daughter to Gefferey Vere, and had issue, 1. Sir Simon; 2. Francis, who died unmarried; 3. Vere, who married Lucy, sole daughter of Sir Roger Thornton, and had three sons, William, Simon, and Benjamin. Sir Robert had also three daughters; Elizabeth, who died

an infant; Jane married to Henry Wroughton, and Dorothy to Thomas Chetwynd, Esq.

Simon Sir SIMON, eldest son of Robert, married Anne, daughter to William Lord Paget, and by her, who married secondly Sir William Waller, had a son,

Philip Sir PHILIP, who died in April 1688, and left issue by Anne, daughter of the said Sir William Waller, a son—

Simon (1st Visc.) Sir SIMON, who was on Oct. 18, 1710, made Keeper of the Great Seal, and created Lord Harcourt. In 1721, he was created Viscount Harcourt; but died on the 29th of July, 1727.

Simon This noble Lord had three wives, first Rebecca, daughter of Thomas Clark, Esq. and widow of Sir Samuel Astley, and had three sons, and two daughters; Anne married to John Barlow; Arabella, second daughter, was married to Herbert Aubery, Esq. The sons were Simon, Philip, and Walter, of whom the two latter died young. His Lordship's second wife was Elizabeth, daughter to Robert Spencer, Esq. by whom he had no issue; nor by his third wife, who was Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Thomas Vernon, and relict of Sir John Walter.

Simon SIMON the eldest son, married Elizabeth, sister to Sir John Evelyn, and dying in 1721, left a son Simon, and three daughters; Elizabeth; Anne, who died young; and Martha married in April, 1744, to George Venables Vernon, now Lord Vernon.

Simon (1st E.) SIMON succeeded his grandfather, and was, on Dec. 1, 1749, created Earl and Viscount Harcourt. His Lordship married Rebecca, daughter and heiress of Charles Le Bas, of Pipewell Abbey, in Northamptonshire, Esq. by which Lady, who died Jan. 16, 1765, he had had issue, two sons and two daughters, viz. 1. George-Simon, the present Earl. 2. William, born March 20, 1743. 3. Lady Elizabeth, born Jan. 18, 1739, and married June 20, 1763, to Sir William Lee, Bart. 4. Lady Anne, born in June, 1741, who is since dead. The Earl being unfortunately drowned in a well in his own park, Sept. 16, 1777, was succeeded by his eldest son,

Geo. Simon (2d E.) GEORGE-SIMON, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron, Sept. 3, 1711, Viscount Harcourt, July 24, 1721, Viscount Nuneham, and Earl of Harcourt, Dec. 1, 1749.

ARMS.] Gules, two bars, or. [Plate XVII.]

CREST.

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a peacock close, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *or*, each gorged with two bars, gemels, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Le bon temps viendra.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stanton-Harcourt, Cokethrop, and ~~Nuneham~~ Nuneham, all in the county of Oxford.

SEYMOUR-CONWAY, EARL OF HERTFORD.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS SEYMOUR-CONWAY, Earl of HERTFORD, Viscount Beauchamp, Lord Conway, Baron of Ragley, and Baron of Killaltagh in Ireland, succeeded his father Francis as Lord Conway, Feb. 4, 1732, and was created Viscount Beauchamp, and Earl of Hertford, Aug. 3, 1750. His Lordship married in May 1741, Lady Isabella Fitz-Roy, second daughter of his Grace, Charles, late Duke of Grafton, by whom he has issue, 1. Francis, Lord Visc. Beauchamp, born Feb. 12, 1742, married Feb. 1, 1768, 1st to Alicia, daughter of the late Lord Windfor, which Lady died Feb. 11, 1772, and he married secondly, May 19, 1777, Isabella, daughter of Lord Viscount Irwin. 2. Lady Anne, born Aug. 1, 1744, married in 1766, Charles, Earl of Drogheda. 3. Henry, born Dec. 5, 1745, married June 5, 1773, to Miss Delme. 4. Lady Sarah-Frances, born Sept. 27, 1747, married June 3, 1766, to Robert Stewart, Esq. 5. Robert, born Dec. 20, 1749. 6. Lady Gertrude, born Oct. 9, 1750, married to Lord Viscount Villiers. 7. Lady Frances, born Dec. 4, 1751, married to the Earl of Lincoln. 8. Lady Elizabeth, born March 3, 1754. 9. Lady Isabella Rachael, born Dec. 25, 1755. 10. Edward, born May 18, 1757. 11. Hugh, born April 29, 1759. 12. William, born Oct. 3, 1760. 13. George, born July 21, 1763. *He died 30 July 1770*

The descent of this family may be found under the title of Duke of Somerset; Sir Edward Seymour marrying to his second wife Letitia, daughter of Francis Popham, of Littlecote in the county of Wilts, Esq. by her had six sons, of whom Popham the eldest, took the surname and arms of Conway, on account of an estate given to him and his brother Francis, by Edward Conway Earl of Conway, whom he adopted his heirs; but the said Popham being killed in a duel by Colonel Kirk,

(1st L.) FRANCIS the second son succeeded, and by Queen Anne was created a Peer. He married first the Lady Mary Hyde³, daughter of Laurence Earl of Rochester, and by her had four daughters; Letitia, who died in 1723; Mary married to Nicholas Price, Esq. Henrietta; and Catharine, who died in 1737. Jane his second wife was daughter of Mr. Bowden, by whom he had a daughter Jane; but taking to his third wife Charlotte, daughter to Sir John Shorter of London, merchant, by her had four sons, Francis now Earl of Hertford, and Henry Seymour-Conway, who married Lady Caroline, daughter of John Duke of Argyll, widow of Charles the last Earl of Aylebury, and had a daughter Anne. Their sister Anne married March 10, 1755, John Harris, Esq. died March 24, 1774. His Lady surviving him, died the 12th of Feb. 1734. His Lordship died in Ireland, Feb. 4, 1732, and was succeeded by

(1st E.) FRANCIS his eldest son, who was created Viscount Beauchamp and Earl of Hertford, with remainder for want of issue male, to Henry his brother.

CREATIONS.] Lord Conway of Ragley in the county of Warwick, and Lord Conway of Killaltagh in the county of Antrim in Ireland, the 17th of March 1703; Viscount Beauchamp of Hache, and Earl of Hertford, the 3d of Aug. 1750.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *fable*, on a bend, cottized, *argent*, a rose between two annulets, *gules*, for Conway; second and third quarters are quarterly, viz. first and fourth, *or*, on a pile, *gules*, between six fleurs-de-lis, *azure*, three lions passant, guardant, *or*, being a coat of augmentation; second and third, *gules*; two wings conjoined in lure, *or*, for Seymour. [Plate XVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath the bust of a moor, side-faced, couped, *proper*, and wreathed about the temples, *argent* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two moors, each wreathed as the crest, holding in their exterior hands a shield, *azure*, garnished, *or*; the dexter charged with the sun in its glory, the other with a crescent, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Fide & amore.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Sandywell in the county of Gloucester; Taplow in Bucks; Ragley in Warwickshire; Lisburne in Ireland.

NORTH,

He married 3rd Jane 14 June 1767

NORTH, EARL OF GUILFORD.

THE Right Honourable FRANCIS NORTH, Earl of GUILFORD, Lord North and Guilford, was born April 13, 1704, and succeeded his father in 1729, as Lord Guilford; Oct. 31, 1734, he succeeded to the title of Lord North by the death of William Lord North and Grey; and on March 8, 1752, was created Earl of Guilford. His Lordship married June 16, 1728, the Lady Lucy, daughter of George Earl of Halifax, by which Lady, who died May 7, 1734, he has issue one son Frederick Lord North, born April 13, 1732; who on the 20th of May, 1756, was married to Miss Speke, of Dillington in Somerset, by whom he has issue, 1. George Augustus. 2. Francis. 3. Catharine Anne. 4. Anne. The Earl married again in Jan. 1736, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arthur Kaye, and relict of George Lord Viscount Lewisham, eldest son of William, Earl of Dartmouth, by whom he had, 1. Lady Louisa, married to Lord Willoughby de Brooke. 2. Francis, deceased. 3. Brownlow, Bishop of Worcester, who married Jan. 17, 1771, Miss Bannister. 4. Charlotte, who died in 1748. 5. Augustus Francis, who died an infant. And his second Lady dying April 21, 1745, his Lordship married Catharine, daughter of Sir Robert Furnese, and relict of Lewis Watson, Earl of Rockingham, June 13, 1751.

This noble Earl is descended from Roger North, Esq. who died in the 10th of Edw. IV. and left by Anne, daughter of John Harcourt, Esq. a daughter Ellen, married to John Parker, Esq. and Thomas his heir, who died the 10th of Henry VII. leaving two sons, Thomas and Roger, who married Christian, daughter of Richard Warcup, and dying in 1509, left two daughters; Joan married to William Wilkinson, Esq. and Alice to Thomas Burnet, Esq. and a son,

(1st L. North.) Sir EDWARD North, who was advanced to the dignity of a Baron. He married first Alice, daughter of Oliver Squire, Esq. and had two sons, Sir Roger and Sir Thomas, and two daughters, of which Christian married to William the third Earl of Worcester; and Mary to Henry Scroop. He married secondly Margaret, daughter to Richard Butler, widow first of Andrew Fraunces, Esq. secondly of Robert Chartsey, Esq. and thirdly of Sir

Sir David Brooke, by whom he had no issue. Sir Thomas his second son, married first Elizabeth, daughter of — Colwell, and widow of Richard Rich, Esq. but she dying without issue, he married secondly the widow of Dr. Bridgewater; by whom he had Edward, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Wren.

(2d L.) Sir ROGER the eldest son, in 1564 succeeded his father, and died December 3, 1600. He married Winifred, daughter to Robert the first Lord Rich, widow of Sir Henry Dudley, and had two sons, Sir John and Sir Henry; and a daughter Mary, who died unmarried. Sir Henry the younger son, married Mary, daughter to Richard Knevit, Esq. and had two sons, 1. Sir Roger, and 2. Henry.

Sir JOHN the eldest son, died in the life-time of his father, June 5, 1597. He married Dorothy, daughter to Sir Valentine Dale, and had issue, 1. Dudley; 2. Sir John North; 3. Roger; 4. Gilbert; 5. Elizabeth, married to William Horsey, Esq. and 6. Mary to Sir Francis Coningsby.

(3d L. North.) DUDLEY the eldest son, succeeded his grandfather; and marrying Francis, daughter to Sir John Broucker, left two sons, Dudley and John, and two daughters, Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Dorothy married to Richard Lord Dacres of the South. And of the sons, which were

(4th L. North.) DUDLEY the eldest, died June 24, 1627. He married Anne, daughter to Sir Charles Montagu, and by her, who died in 1680, had fourteen children, of whom six sons and four daughters lived to maturity; Mary married to Sir William Spring; Anne to Robert Foley; Elizabeth first to Sir Robert Wiseman, and secondly to William Earl of Yarmouth; and Christian to Sir George Wynieve. The sons were Charles, Francis, Sir Dudley, John, Montagu, and Roger; the 5th married a daughter of Sir Robert Geers; John died Master of Trinity-College in Cambridge; Sir Dudley was a merchant in London, and seated at Glenham-hall in Suffolk. He married Anne, daughter to Sir Robert Cann, widow of Sir Robert Gunning, and by her was father of another Dudley North, who married Catharine, daughter to Elihu Yale, Esq. and dying on the 4th of Feb. 1730, by her left two sons, 1. Dudley, married to the Lady Barbara Herbert, daughter of Thomas the 8th Earl of Pembroke, and

and had a daughter married July 19, 1737, to Nicholas Herbert, Esq. uncle to the present Earl of Pembroke; 2. Roger; and two daughters, Anne, and Mary the wife of Sir Henry Lefrange.

(5th L. North, and 1st L. Grey) CHARLES, the eldest of the said six sons, married Catharine, daughter to William Lord Grey of Wark, widow of Sir Edward Mosley, ^{Cath.} ^{2d Baet} ^{of Hough} and was summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Grey, ^{of Hough} the 25th of Charles II. and had issue two sons, ¹⁶⁷²

(6th L. North, and 2d L. Grey) WILLIAM Lord NORTH and GREY, and Charles, who died unmarried; but William, married Mary-Margaretta, daughter of Monsieur Elmeet, but dying without issue, the title of Lord Grey was extinct; and his Lady married Patrick, ¹⁶⁷² Lord Elibank.

(1st L. Guilford) FRANCIS the second son of Dudley the fourth Lord was, on Dec. 12, 1682, made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal, and was, in 1683, created Lord Guilford, and died on the 5th of Sept. 1685. He married the Lady Frances Pope, daughter to Thomas Earl of Down, and had three sons, 1. Francis, his heir; 2. Charles, who died on the 10th of December, 1714, unmarried; 3. Pope, who died an infant; and two daughters; Anne, who died unmarried; and Frances, who died an infant. ^{sup. 75}

(2d L. Guilford) FRANCIS succeeded his father. He married 1st Elizabeth, third daughter to Fulk Greville, the fifth Lord Brooke, but by her had no issue; 2dly, Alice, daughter and coheir of Sir John Brownlow, by whom he had three sons and one daughter; 1. Francis, now Earl; 2. Brownlow; 3. Peregrine, who both died infants; and Alice, who died unmarried.

(7th L. North, 3d L. Guilford, 1st E. of Guilford) FRANCIS, succeeded his father as Lord Guilford, and was created Earl of Guilford.

CREATIONS.] Baron North of Kirtling in the county of Cambridge, by writ of summons to Parliament, Feb. 17, 1553, 1. Mary; and Baron Guilford, by letters patent, Sept. 27, 1683, 35 Car. II. and Earl of Guilford, March 8, 1752.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a lion passant, *or*, between three fleurs-de-lis, *argent*. [Plate XVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath a dragon's head erased, *sable*, scaled, ducally gorged and chained, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two dragons, scaled, ducally gorged and chained, *or*, winged, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Animo & fide*: and also *La vertue est la seule noblesse*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Kirtlage, in Cambridgeshire; at Durdans, in Surry; at Wroxton-abbey, in Oxfordshire.

CORNWALLIS, EARL CORNWALLIS.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES CORNWALLIS, Earl CORNWALLIS, Viscount Broome, Lord Cornwallis of Eye, born Dec. 31, 1738, and succeeded his father the late Earl, June 23, 1762. He married July 14, 1768, Miss Jones.

Of this family, which hath long been of good repute, was John Cornwallis, who, in 1377, the 1st of Richard II. was Sheriff of London, and had a son John, who succeeded him, and marrying Philippa, daughter to Robert Buxton, of Suffolk, Esq; settled at Broome, which still continues the chief residence of this family. He was succeeded in 1436, by

THOMAS, his son, who married the daughter and coheir to Edward Tyrrel, and by her had a son William, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter to John Stamford, by her had Sir John, and Thomas, who was Archdeacon of Norwich. Sir John, who succeeded in 1520, married Mary, daughter to Edward Syliard, Esq. and by her had Sir Thomas, his heir, who married Anne, daughter to Sir John Jernegan, and had issue Sir William, who married first Lucy, daughter to John Nevil, Lord Latimer, and had Thomas, who died without issue, and four daughters; and Sir William their father, marrying to his second wife Jane, daughter to Hercules Mewtas, Esq. by her had,

(1st L.) FREDERICK, his heir, who by King Char. II. was created a Baron. By Elizabeth his 1st wife, daughter to Sir John Ashburnham, he had three sons, 1. Charles, his heir; 2. Frederick; 3. George; and a daughter Henrietta Maria, who died unmarried; and, by his second wife Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Henry Crofts, he had a daughter Jane, who was married to William Duncomb.

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(2d L.) CHARLES, who in 1661 succeeded, married Margaret, daughter to Thomas Playsted, Esq. and died in 1673. He had issue, 1. Frederick; 2. Nathaniel, who both died infants; 3. Charles, his heir; 4. Frederick, who died without issue; 5. William, who died unmarried; 6. Thomas, who died in Dec. 1731, without issue; 7. James, who died an infant; 8. George, who died at Turin; 9. Anne; 10. Elizabeth; 11. Henrietta Maria, who all died unmarried.

(3d L.) CHARLES, married to his first wife Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Sir Stephen Fox, and by her had four sons; and by his second (whom he married in 1688) who was Anne, Duchess of Monmouth and Buccleugh, widow of James Duke of Monmouth, he had one son, Lord George, who died young; and two daughters, Lady Anne, who died young; and Lady Isabella, who died in 1748. Of the sons by the first wife, who were,

(4th L.) CHARLES, William, James, and John, the eldest succeeded his father; and he marrying June 1, 1699, Charlotte, daughter to Richard Butler, Earl of Arran, by her had nine sons and three daughters; 1. Charles, the late Earl, born March 29, 1700; 2. James, born Sept. 16, 1701, died May 28, 1727; 3. Stephen, born December 23, 1703, married Mrs. Pearson, and died in May, 1743; 4. John, born December 23, 1706, married Miss Thele, by whom he had one daughter, married to the Reverend Mr. Earl; 5. Richard, born Sept. 17, 1708, died in Feb. 1741; 6. Edward, born Feb. 22, 1713, married March 17, 1753, Miss Maria Townshend, daughter to the late Lord Townshend, who died Jan. 14, 1776; 7. Frederick, a twin with Edward, now Archbishop of Canterbury: He married Feb. 8, 1756, Miss Townshend; 8. William, born March 12, 1714, deceased; 9. Henry, born May 22, 1715, deceased; 10. Charlotte; 11. Elizabeth, both died infants; 12. Mary, died unmarried in July 1756. He died Jan. 20, 1722, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(5th L. 1st E.) CHARLES, who, in Nov. 1722, marrying Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Charles Viscount Townshend, by her had issue four sons; Charles, now Earl Cornwallis; Harry, born Sept. 10, 1740, and died in April, 1761; James, born Feb. 25, 1742; William, born Feb. 20, 1743; and three daughters, Elizabeth married in 1753, to Bowen Southwell, Esq. Charlotte married

married in 1756, to the Rev. Spencer Madan; and Mary, married Aug. 13, 1769, to Samuel Whitbread, Esq. and died December 27, 1770. His Lordship, on June 30, 1753, was created an Earl and Viscount, as before-mentioned, and dying June 23, 1762, was succeeded by

(6th L. 2d E.) CHARLES, his eldest son.

CREATIONS.] Baron Cornwallis of Eye in Suffolk, by letters patent, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. Viscount Broome in the county of Suffolk, and Earl Cornwallis, June 30, 1753, 27 Geo. II.

ARMS.] *Sable, goutte, d'eau, on a fess, argent, three Cornish choughs, proper.* [Plate XVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mount, *vert*, and thereon a stag lodged, *argent*, attired, *or*, having about his neck a garland of laurel, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two stags attired and gorged, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Virtus vincit invidiam.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Broome in Suffolk; and at Culford-hall in the same county.

YORKE, EARL OF HARDWICKE.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP YORKE, Earl of HARDWICKE, Viscount Royston, Lord Hardwicke, Baron Hardwick, succeeded his father, the late Earl, March 6, 1764. He married May 22, 1740, Lady Jenima Campbell, Marchioness Grey, only daughter of John Earl of Breadalbane, by the Lady Amabel Grey, eldest daughter of Henry de Grey, Duke of Kent, by whom he has issue, 1. Lady Amabella, born Feb. 8, 1751, married to Lord Polwarth. 2. Lady Mary Jenima, born Feb. 26, 1756.

PHILIP the late Earl, was, on October 31, 1733, made Lord Chief-Justice of England, and created a Baron, and in February, 1737, was made Lord High Chancellor, and in 1754, created Earl of Hardwick.

His Lordship married Margaret, daughter of Charles Cocks of Worcester, Esq. and of Mary his wife, eldest sister of the Lord Chancellor Somers, by whom he had issue, 1. Philip, now Earl of Hardwicke; 2. Charles, married

married May 19, 1755, Catharine, only daughter of the Rev. Dr. Freeman, and by her, who died July 10, 1759, had a son Philip, born May 29, 1757, and two daughters, who died infants: He wedded secondly, on Dec. 30, 1762, Miss Johnson, by whom he had Charles-Philip, and Caroline. He died April 20, 1770, a few days after he had been appointed Lord Chancellor, and before his patent of peerage was completed. 3. Sir Joseph, Knight of the Bath; 4. John, married the only daughter of Reginald Lygon, Esq. 5. James, Bishop of St. David's: He married on June 29, 1762, the daughter of Dr. Maddox, late Bishop of Worcester, and by her has Charles and Margaret; 6. Lady Elizabeth, married to George late Lord Anson, died June 1, 1760; 7. Lady Margaret, married in June 1749, to Gilbert Heathcote, Esq. His Lordship departed this life, March 6, 1764, and was succeeded by

(2d E.) PHILIP, now Earl of Hardwicke.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Hardwicke in the county of Gloucester, Nov. 23, 1733, and Viscount Royston in the county of Cambridge, and Earl of Hardwicke, April 2, 1754.

ARMS.] *Argent, a saltire, azure, with a bezant in the center.* [Plate XVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion's head erased, *proper*; collared, *gules*; charged with a bezant.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *or*; collared, *gules*; charged with a bezant. On the sinister side, a stag, *proper*, attired and unguled, *or*; and collared in like manner.

MOTTO.] *Nec cupias, nec metuas.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hardwicke in the county of Gloucester; Wimple in Cambridgeshire; and Wrest-house, in Bedfordshire.

VANE, EARL OF DARLINGTON.

THE Right Hon. HENRY VANE, Earl of DARLINGTON, Viscount and Baron Barnard of Barnard-castle, in the Bishoprick of Durham, succeeded his father Henry, the late Earl, who died March 6, 1758. His Lordship, March 10, 1757, married Margaret

Lowther, sister of Sir James Lowther, Bart. by whom he had two daughters, who died young, and a son, Viscount Barnard, born July 27, 1766.

JOHN Vane married Joan, daughter and coheir of Edward Hault, and had issue two sons, Henry and Richard, from which Richard is descended the present Earl of WESTMORELAND; and from Henry the eldest, descended Sir Henry Vane, Kt. who left two sons, Henry and George. Henry the eldest, was beheaded on Tower-hill, June 14, 1662.

(1st L.) Sir CHRISTOPHER his son, was created a Baron, in 1699, and dying Oct. 28, 1723, left by Elizabeth, daughter to Gilbert Holles, Earl of Clare, and sister to John Duke of Newcastle, two sons and a daughter Grace; besides two sons and three daughters, who all died young. Of the sons, William the youngest was created Viscount VANE in Ireland; and

(2d L.) GILBERT, the eldest, who was Lord Barnard, marrying Mary, daughter to Morgan Randle, Esq. by her, who died on the 4th of August, 1728, had six sons and three daughters; 1. Henry, who succeeded him; 2. Morgan, who married Margaretta, daughter of Robert Knight, Esq. and she dying in May 1739, left a son, Morgan Vane, who on July 4, 1766, married Miss Upton, and secondly Miss Fowler; 3. Thomas, died unmarried, on Feb. 19, 1758; 4. Gilbert; 5. Randle, deceased; 6. Charles; 7. Anne, died at Bath, March 26, 1736; 8. Elizabeth, married in Oct. 1732, to Sir William Humble; 9. Jane, married to Thomas Staunton, Esq. His Lordship dying April 27, 1753, was succeeded by

(3d L. and 1st E.) HENRY, who married in 1725, the Lady Grace Fitz-Roy, daughter to Charles Duke of Cleveland; and by her had three sons, Henry, who succeeded him; Frederick, born June 26, 1732, married Harriet, sister to Sir William Meredith, and Raby, born January 2, 1736, married in April 1763, to Miss Sayer, and died October 23, 1769; and three daughters; Lady Anne married to Charles-Hope Weir, Esq. and died in 1776. Lady Mary married in November, 1752, to Ralph Carr, Esq. and Henrietta, who died on Dec. 26, 1729. He was succeeded, on March 6, 1758, by his eldest son

(4th L. and 2d E.) HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Barnard, July 8, 1699, 10 Wm. III. Viscount Barnard and Earl Darlington, April 3, 1754, 27 Geo. II.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three sinister gauntlets, *or*. [Plate XVIII.]

CREST.] A dexter hand in armour, couped at the wrist, *proper*, holding a sword, *argent*; hilt and pomel, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a gryphon, *argent*; on the sinister an antelope, *or*, each gorged in a plain collar, *azure*. The dexter charged with three left hand gauntlets, the other with three martlets, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Nec temere nec timide*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Raby Castle, in the Bishoprick of Durham.

BELASYSE, EARL FAUCONBERG.

THE Right Hon. HENRY BELASYSE, Earl FAUCONBERG, Viscount Belasyse, and Baron Fauconberg, succeeded his father, the late Earl, in February 1774. His Lordship was born April 13, 1742, and married May 29, 1766, Charlotte, only daughter of the late Sir Mathew Lamb, Bart. and sister to Lord Melbourne, by whom he has three daughters, Ladies Charlotte, Anne, and Elizabeth.

This family is descended from BELLASIUS, a Norman Knight, who came into England with William the Conqueror, and was a commander in his army.

Sir WILLIAM Bellassise married Margaret, daughter to Sir Nicholas Fairfax, and had several sons and daughters. He died the 13th of April, 1604.

(1st Bt.) Sir HENRY the eldest son, succeeded; and on the 22d of May, 1611, 9 Jac. I. was created a Baronet. He married Ursula, daughter to Sir Thomas Fairfax, and by her had two daughters; Dorothy married to Sir Conyers D'Arcy; Mary to Sir William Lister; and

(1st V.) THOMAS his heir, who having been advanced to the dignity of Baron Fauconberg, 3d Charles I. was afterwards created Viscount Fauconberg. He married Barbara, daughter to Sir Henry Cholmondeley, and had two sons, Henry and John; and five daughters; Margaret was married to Sir Edward Osborne; Mary to

John Lord D'Arcy; Barbara to Sir Henry Slingsby; Ursula to Sir Walter Vavasour; and Frances to Sir Thomas Ingram. John the youngest son, in the 20th of Charles I. was created Lord Belasyse. He married first Jane, daughter and heir to Sir Robert Boteler, by whom he had a son Sir Henry, and a daughter Mary, married to Robert Viscount Dunbar. His second wife was Anne, daughter to Sir Robert Carne, and his third wife was the Lady Anne, daughter to John the 5th Marquis of Winchester, by whom he had three sons and nine daughters; the sons, and five of the daughters, died in their infancy; Honora married to George Nevil the 10th Lord Abergavenny; Barbara to Sir John Webb, and died March 28, 1740; Catharine to John Talbot, Esq. and Isabella to Thomas Stoner, Esq. Henry, by the 1st wife, succeeding his father, married first Rogerfa, daughter to Francis Rogers, Esq. 2dly, Susan, daughter to Sir William Armine, (created Baroness Belasyse 1674, 26 Charles II. during her life) by whom he had Henry his heir, who married the Lady Anne Brudenel, sister to George the third Earl of Cardigan; but dying without issue, his honour became extinct; and she married secondly Charles the 1st Duke of Richmond. We now return to Henry, elder brother to John the 1st Lord Belasyse, which

HENRY, dying before his father, left issue by Grace, daughter to Sir Thomas Barton, four sons and four daughters; Grace married to George Saunderson, Visc. Castleton; Frances to Sir Henry Jones; Arabella to Sir William Frankland; and Barbara to Walter Strickland, Esq.

(2d V.) And of the sons, which were Thomas, Henry, Sir Rowland, and John, the latter died young; the second died in his father's life-time; and the eldest, in 1652, succeeded his grandfather; and April 9, 1691, was created Earl of Fauconberg. He married to his first wife Mildred, daughter to Nicholas Saunderson, Viscount Castleton; and to his second Mary, daughter to Oliver Cromwell; and dying on the 31st of Dec. 1700, without issue male, the title of Earl ceased, and that of Baron and Viscount was continued.

Sir ROWLAND, who was brother to the Earl, marrying Anne, eldest daughter, and at length sole heir to James Davenport, Esq. by her had four sons, and two daughters, Anne and Mary.

(3d V.) Of the sons, which were Thomas, Henry, John, and Rowland, the latter married Frances, daughter to Christopher Roper Lord Teynham; and the eldest succeeded his uncle in the titles of Baron and Viscount Fauconberg. He married Bridget, daughter to Sir John Gage, and by her, who died in Nov. 1732, had four sons, and three daughters; Mary married to John Pitt, Esq. Anne and Penelope, both deceased.

(4th V. 1st E.) And of the sons, which were THOMAS; Henry, and Rowland, who died infants; and John, who died unmarried; the eldest, who was born April 27, 1699, on the 26th of November, 1718, succeeded his father; and in 1756 was created an Earl. On August 9, 1726, he married Catharine, daughter to John Beetham, of Rowington in the county of Warwick, and by her had issue Thomas, who died an infant; another Thomas, born in 1740, died in 1750; and Henry the present Earl; and four daughters; Lady Catharine; Lady Barbara married to the Hon. George Barnewell, Esq. in April 1752; Lady Mary, married July 23, 1776, Thomas Eyre, of Hassop, in Derby, Esq. and Lady Anne married on April 20, 1761, to the Hon. Francis Talbot. And his Lordship deceasing in February, 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(2d E.) HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron, May 25, 1627, Viscount Jan. 31, 1684, and Earl, June 15, 1756.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*; a chevron, *gules*, between three fleurs-de-lis, *azure*; second and third, *argent*, a pale ingrailed between two pallets plain, *sable*. [Plate XVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion couchant, guardant, *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a buck holding in his mouth a branch of oak fructed, all *proper*; on the sinister an unicorn, *azure*, armed, crested, and unguled, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Bonne & belle assez.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Newborough-hall, and Alderton-castle in Yorkshire; at Sutton in Cheshire; and at St. Thomas's near Stafford.

STRANGWAYS, EARL OF ILCHESTER.

THE Right Hon. HENRY THOMAS ¹⁰⁷²STRANGWAYS, Earl of ILCHESTER, Lord Ilchester and Stavordale, Baron Strangways of Woodford Strangways, Baron of Redlynch, was born Aug. 10, 1747, and succeeded his father, the late Earl, Sep. 29, 1776. He married Aug. 20, 1772, Mary-Teresa, daughter of Standish Grady, Esq. by whom he has two daughters, Lady Elizabeth-Teresa, and Lady Mary-Lucy.

WILLIAM Fox of Farley in Wilts, married Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Pavey, by whom he left two sons, John the eldest, by Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Smart, had John his only son (who left an only son Stephen, who died in 1699, unmarried) and four daughters; Mary married to Edward Thornberrow; Elizabeth to Thomas Dunkley; Margaret to Sackville Whittle; and Jane to Richard Ridge.

Sir STEPHEN the youngest son, in 1651, married Elizabeth, only daughter of Mr. William Whittle, by whom he had seven sons and three daughters, all which sons died young excepting Charles, who married Elizabeth, only daughter of William Trollop, by whom he had no issue, and died in 1713. Of the the three daughters, Margaret died young; Elizabeth was married in 1673 to Charles Lord Cornwallis; Jane was married in 1685 to George Earl of Northampton. and died in 1721. Sir Stephen Fox married secondly in 1703, Christian, daughter to the Reverend Mr. Charles Hope, by whom he had four children, two sons, and two daughters; one of which died young by an accidental fall from a window; and Charlotte, the other sister, was married to Edward Digby, son to William Lord Digby; Henry the youngest son, was created Lord Holland. *see pa. 450*

(1st L. and E.) STEPHEN, the eldest surviving son of Sir Stephen, was created Baron of Ilchester in Somersetshire, and Baron Strangways, of Woodford-Strangways, in Dorsetshire, May 11, 1741, 14 Geo. II. and Lord Ilchester and Stavordale, and Baron of Redlynch in the county of Somerset, with remainder to the Right Hon. Henry Fox, his brother, January 3, 1747, 20 Geo. II. and he was created Earl of Ilchester, June 5, 1756. He married

married in March 1736, Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Thomas Strangways. Horner of Wells, in the county of Somerset, Esq. and took the name of Strangways. He had issue three sons and six daughters, viz. 1. Henry-Thomas, the present Earl. 2. Stephen-Strangways-Digby, born December 3, 1751. 3. Charles Redlynch, born April 27, 1761. 4. Lady Susannah Sarah-Louisa, born Feb. 1, 1743, and married to William Obrien, Esq. 5. Lady Charlotte-Elizabeth, died young. 6. Lady Juliana-Judith, died young. 7. Lady Lucy, born Dec. 15, 1748, married Oct. 1, 1771, to Colonel Stephen Digby, by whom she has two sons. 8. Lady Christian-Henrietta Carolina, born Jan. 3, 1750, married to John Dyk Acland, Esq. and has three daughters. 9. Lady Frances Muriel, born August, 1755, married August 24, 1777, to Valentine Richard Quin, Esq. His Lordship deceasing Sept. 29, 1776, was succeeded by his son

(2d E.) HENRY-THOMAS, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Earl of Ilchester, June 5, 1756, the rest as above.

ARMS.] *Ermine* on a chevron, *azure*, three foxes heads erased, *or*; and in a canton, *azure*, a fleur-de-lis, *or*.

CREST.] On a chapeau, *azure*, turned up, *ermine*, a fox, sejant, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a fox, *ermine*; fretted, *or*; on a collar dovetail, *azure*, three fleurs-de-lis of the *second*. On the sinister side, a fox, *proper*, collared in like manner.

MOTTO.] *Faire sans dire.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Redlynch, near Bruton, in Somersetshire.

WEST, EARL DE LA WAR.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WEST, Earl DE LA WAR, Viscount Cantalupe, Baron De la War, and Lord West, born in 1729, and succeeded his father March 16, 1766; he married in August, 1756, Mary, daughter of the late General Winyard, by whom he has had issue, 1. William-Augustus, Viscount Cantalupe, born April

27, 1757, died Feb. 22, 1772. 2. John-Rich, Viscount Cantalupe, born July 28, 1758. 3. Thomas-Holles, born September 27, 1760. 4. George, born Dec. 31, 1762, died in 1777. 5. Augustus, died an infant. 6. Lady Frances, born September 24, 1759, died June 14, 1777. 7. Charlotte, born December 13, 1761. 8. Septimus-Harry, born Nov. 11, 1765. ✕

1342 Sir THOMAS de West, in the 17th of Edward II. served in Parliament as one of the Knights for the county of Warwick; and in the 16th of Edw. III. he had summons to Parliament among the Peers of the realm.

He married Eleanor, daughter and heir to Sir John Cantalupe, and by her had Sir Thomas de West, who married Alice, sister to Lucy Fitz-Herbert, and was succeeded by Sir Thomas his son; who married Joan, daughter to Roger Lord De La War, and was father of another Sir Thomas, who in 1405, succeeded him, and died without issue.

(1st L.) Sir REGINALD his brother, became heir, and 5th of Hen. VI. was summoned to Parliament as Lord De La War. He married Margaret, daughter of Robert Thorley, and left issue a daughter Elizabeth, married to William Berkeley, Earl of Nottingham, and

(2d L.) RICHARD his heir, who died March 10, 16th of Edward IV. leaving issue by Catharine, daughter of Robert Lord Hungerford, a son and heir,

(3d L.) THOMAS, who married first Elizabeth, sister to John Mortimer, and had issue two sons and four daughters; secondly, Eleanor, daughter to Sir Roger Copley, by whom he had three sons, Owen, George, and Leonard, and three daughters; Anne, married to Sir Anthony St. Amand; Barbara, to Sir John Guilford; and Catharine. Of the daughters by the first wife, Dorothy was married to Sir Henry Owen; Elizabeth to Charles Earl of Worcester; Anne to Thomas Lord Clinton; and Eleanor to Sir Edward Guilford. And of the sons, William died without issue, and

(4th L.) THOMAS the eldest, succeeded his father; but dying Oct. 9, 1554, without issue, William, son of his brother George, became his heir.

(5th L.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his uncle, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Strange, and by her had a daughter Jane, married to Sir Richard Wenman.

✕ and the Earl dying 22 Nov. 1777 was (6th) succeeded by his Son Wm. the present Earl.

(6th L.) THOMAS his son, married Anne, daughter to Sir Francis Knolles, and by her had two sons and six daughters.

Of the daughters which were Lucy, Catharine, Eleanor, Anne, Penelope, and Elizabeth, the eldest was married to Henry Ludlow, Esq. Eleanor to Sir William Savage; Anne to John Pellet, Esq. and Penelope to Herbert Pelham, Esq.

(7th L.) And of the sons, which were ROBERT and Thomas, the eldest marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Cock, Knt. and dying without issue,

(8th L.) THOMAS his brother, became heir, and married Cicely, daughter to Sir Thomas Shirley, and had Henry his heir, and six daughters; Jane, Elizabeth, Anne, Cicely, Lucy, and Catharine: And the said *Cicely was the 1st wife of John 1st Lord Byron, Esq. 1405*

(9th L.) HENRY, marrying Isabel, daughter to Sir Thomas Edmonds, by her had a son Charles, and two daughters. Elizabeth married to Francis Binlows, Esq. *of Barz*, and Mary to the Reverend Mr. Orme; and *= which = had 1st Lord Londsh.*

(10th L.) CHARLES their brother, succeeding his father, and taking to wife Anne, daughter to John Wild, Esq. by her had three sons and two daughters; Cicely, who was married to Dr. Beau, Bishop of Hereford; and Anna-Sophia, who died unmarried. And of the sons, which were

(11th L.) CHARLES, Horatio, and John; the second died unmarried, and the eldest succeeded his father; but dying without issue,

(12th L.) JOHN, his brother, became his heir; but dying on the 26th of May 1723, left issue by Margaret, daughter to John Freeman of London, merchant, John, the late Lord, and a daughter Elizabeth, who in Aug. 1724, was married to Thomas Digges, late of Chillingham-castle in Kent, Esq. and had two sons, West and Dudley.

(13th L. 1st E.) JOHN, who succeeded his father, was born April 4, 1693, and was created Visc. Cantalupe and Earl De La War. In 1721, marrying the Lady Charlotte Macarty, daughter to Donagh, Earl of Clancarty, by her, who died Feb. 7, 1735, had issue John, Henrietta-Cecilia, born in 1730, and wedded in 1762 to General Johnson; Diana, born in 1731, married Nov. 9, 1756, to General Clavering, and died in May 1776; and George, born

born in 1733, who, on Feb. 24, 1764, married Lady Mary Grey, daughter of the Earl of Stamford, and died in Feb. 1776. His Lordship in June, 1744, married to his second wife the Lady Dowager Abergavenny, who died in July, 1748, leaving no issue. His Lordship deceasing on March 16, 1766, was succeeded by

(2d E.) JOHN, his eldest son, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron De La War by writ, June 8, 1294; Baron West, Feb. 25, 1342; Viscount and Earl, March 21, 1761.

ARMS.] *Argent, a fess dancette, sable.* [Plate XVIII.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a gryphon's head, *azure*; ears and beak of the *first*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a wolfe coward, *argent*; his plain collar, *or*. On the sinister, a cockatrice of the *second*, his wings displayed, *gules* and *or*.

MOTTO.] *Jour de ma vie.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Bolderwood, Hants.

TALBOT, EARL TALBOT.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM TALBOT, Earl TALBOT, Lord Talbot, Baron of Hensol, succeeded his father Charles, the late Lord Talbot, in Feb. 1737, and was advanced to the dignity of Earl Talbot, March 19, 1761; he married, in Feb. 1734, Mary, daughter and sole heir of Adam Cardonnel, Esq. by whom he had one son, William, who died young, and a daughter Cecil, married to George Rice, of Newton in Carmarthen-shire, Esq.

His Lordship is descended from Sir Gilbert Talbot, second son of John, the second Earl of Shrewsbury; whose son Sir John, married Elizabeth, his second wife, daughter of — Wrottesley, of Wrottesley in the county of Stafford, Esq. and had issue John, who married Oliva, daughter of Sir Henry Sherrington, and died 14 Eliz. leaving issue three sons, Sherrington, John, and Thomas.

SHERRINGTON the eldest, who died about 1640, had two wives; first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Leighton, by whom he had no issue male remaining. His
second

second wife was Mary, daughter to John Washborn, Esq. by whom he had four sons, 1. George; 2. Edward, who was slain in the civil wars, in behalf of Char. I. 3. WILLIAM, who married Mary, daughter to Thomas Doughty, Esq. by whom he had William, Bishop of Durham; and Catharine, who married first Walter Littleton, Esq. and secondly Dr. Lancelot Blackbourn, Archbishop of York.

4 Francis, who died unmarried.

WILLIAM, Bishop of Durham, married Catharine, daughter of Mr. King, by whom he had eight sons, and several daughters; of whom those who lived to maturity were, 1. Charles, who was the late Lord Talbot; 2. Edward, who died in 1720. He married Mary, daughter of the Reverend Mr. Martin, and left a daughter Catharine; 3. Sherrington, married to Miss Midget, -by whom he has two sons William and Charles; 4. Henry, married first Miss Lloyd, by whom he had a daughter, Elizabeth; secondly Catharine, daughter of Sir Hugh Clapton; 5. Henrietta-Maria, married to Dr. Charles Trimnel, late Bishop of Winchester; 6. Catharine, married to Exton Seyer, LL. D. Chancellor of Durham, which Lady died in Aug. 1734.

(1st L.) CHARLES the eldest, was on the 29th of Nov. 1733, made Lord High Chancellor, and created a Baron.

He married Cecil, daughter to Charles Matthews, Esq. she died in 1720, having had five sons, viz. Charles-Richard, who died in Sept. 1733; William, now Earl Talbot; John, married in May 1737, first Henrietta-Maria, daughter of Sir Matthew Decker, who dying in Sept. 1747, he married secondly, in August 1748, Catharine, eldest daughter of John Lord Chetwynd. He died Sept. 22, 1756, and left issue, 1. John Chetwynd, married May 7, 1776, to Lady Charlotte, daughter to the Earl of Hillsborough; 2. Charles; 3. George; 4. William: Edward, who died an infant; and George, D.D. married on January 4, 1761, Anne, sister to the Earl of Radnor. His Lordship, dying in February, 1737, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d L. 1st E.) WILLIAM, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Talbot of Hensol, in the county of Glamorgan, December 5, 1733, 2 George II. and Earl Talbot, March 19, 1761, 1 George III.

ARMS.] Gules, a lion rampant, within a border engrailed, or; a crescent for difference. [Plate XVIII.]

CREST.

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a lion, *or*; his tail extended.

SUPPORTERS.] Two Talbots, *argent*, collared with a double tressure fleury, counterfleury, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Humani nihil alienum.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Castle-Menych, and Hensol, in the county of Glamorgan; and Barrington, in Gloucestershire.

HENLEY, EARL OF NORTHINGTON.

THE Right Honourable ROBERT HENLEY, Earl of NORTHINGTON, Viscount and Baron Henley of the Grange, in the county of Southampton, succeeded his father, the late Earl, Dec. 14, 1772.

This family has been of long standing, great repute and interest in the West of England.

Andrew Henley had two sons and two daughters; 1. Sir Robert Henley; 2. George; 3. Joan; and 4. Margery. Sir Robert, the eldest son, had three sons, Andrew his heir; John; and Sir Robert, ancestor to the present Earl, who, by his wife, the daughter of Sir Edward Hungerford, had Anthony his heir; Robert, who died Sept. 2, 1758; and a daughter Williemsfa, wife of Sir Theodore Janssen, Bart.

ANTHONY, his eldest son, died in 1711. He married Mary, daughter of Peregrine Bertie, of Waldershare in Kent, Esq. second son of Montagu Earl of Lindsey, and by her had three sons, Anthony his heir; Robert; and Bertie, who died July 6, 1760.

ANTHONY the eldest son, married Elizabeth, only daughter of James, third Earl of Berkeley, but died without issue.

(1st L. and E.) ROBERT, the second son, on March 27, 1760, was created Lord Henley, and made Lord High Chancellor. On May 19, 1764, he was created Viscount Henley, and Earl of Northington.

In December, 1743, his Lordship married Jane, daughter of Sir John Husband, of Illey in Warwickshire, by whom he had issue, 1. Robert; and 2. Henry, both died young; 3. Robert, now Earl of Northington; 4. Lady Bridget, married first to the
Hon.

Hon. Robert Lane, son to Lord Bingley; and afterwards in Dec. 1773, to the Hon. John Tollemache; 5. Lady Jane, married in Dec. 1772, to Sir Willoughby Aston, Bart. 6. Lady Mary, married in Dec. 1773, to the Earl Ligonier; 7. Lady Catharine; 8. Lady Elizabeth.

CREATIONS.] Created Lord Henley, Baron of Grange, March 27, 1760, 33 Geo. II. Viscount Henley, and Earl of Northington, May 19, 1764, 4 Geo. III.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *azure*, a lion rampant, *argent*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *or*, within a border, *argent*, charged with eight torteauxes for Henley; second and third, *argent*, three battering rams, *proper*, garnished *azure* for Bertie. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] A demi lion, *argent*, ducally crowned, *gules*, and semée of heurs.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion rampant, *argent*, semée of torteauxes and ducally crowned, *or*. On the finister, a stag, *argent*, semée with torteauxes, attired, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Sola & unica virtus.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Grange in the county of Southampton.

She married L. Deverhurst
 17 Mar. 1777

BOUVERIE, EARL OF RADNOR.

THE Right Hon. JACOB PLEYDELL, BOUVERIE, Earl of RADNOR, Viscount Folkestone, Baron of Longford in Wilts, and Baron Pleydell Bouverie of Colehill in Berks, born March 4, 1750, succeeded his father William, the late Earl, Feb. 1, 1776. He married in July, 1777, Anne, daughter of the late Lord Feversham.

The first of this family, who settled in England, was Laurence des Bouveries, a younger son of Le Sieur des Bouveries, of the Chateau des Bouveries, near Lille in Flanders. He had an only son Edward, who died in 1625; who also had a son Edward, born in 1621, an eminent Turkey merchant in London, who acquired a great fortune, and whose eldest son William, was created a Baronet, Feb. 19, 1713. He married first Mary, daughter of James Edwards, Esq. His second wife was Anne, daughter of David Urry, Esq. by whom he had three sons and two daughters who survived him, viz. 1. Sir Edward, his successor; 2. Sir Jacob, who succeeded his brother, and

changed his name by act of parliament, from *Des Bouveries* to *Bouverie*; 3. Christopher, who died unmarried; 4. Jane, married to John-Allen Pulfey, Esq. died the 10th of Jan. 1742; and 5. Anne, unmarried.

1st Bart Sir William died May 19, 1717, and his Lady June 5, 1739. — Sir Edward married Mary, daughter of John Smith, Esq. and dying without issue in November 1736, was succeeded by his only brother,

3^d Bart (1st Visc.) Sir JACOB Bouverie, who was created Baron of Longford in the county of Wilts, and Viscount Folkstone in Kent, June 29, 1747. He married first, Mary, daughter of Bartholomew Clarke, Esq. by whom he left issue William, Edward, Anne, Mary married March 16, 1759, to Anthony Earl of Shaftsbury; Charlotte, and Harriot: Lady Folkstone died Nov. 15, 1739. His Lordship married secondly in April, 1741, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Robert, late Lord Romney, by whom he has had two sons, Jacob, who died young; and Philip born Oct. 8, 1746. His Lordship departed this life on Jan. 18, 1761, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Visc. 1st E.) WILLIAM PLEYDELL BOUVERIE, who was created Baron Pleydell Bouverie of Colehill, Berks, and Earl of Radnor; and in default of issue, the title of Earl of Radnor, to the heirs male of Jacob, Visc. Folkstone, deceased. He married first, in January 1748, Harriot the only child of Sir Mark Stewart Pleydell, of Colehill in Berks, Bart. who died in 1750, leaving issue, the present Earl. He married his second wife, Sept. 5, 1751, Rebecca, daughter of John Alleyne, of Barbadoes, Esq. by which Lady, who died May 4, 1764, he had issue, 1. William-Henry, born Oct. 30, 1752. 2. Bartholomew, born Oct. 29, 1753. 3. Younge, died an infant. 4. Edward, born Sept. 20, 1760. And several others who died infants. He married, July 22, 1765, his third wife, Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Hales, Bart. and widow of Anthony Lord Feversham. And his Lordship deceasing Feb. 1, 1776, was succeeded by his son, (2d E.) JACOB, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron, Feb. 19, 1714; and Baron of Longford in the county of Wilts, also Viscount Folkstone in the county of Kent, June 29, 1747; Baron Pleydell Bouverie, of Colehill, Bucks, and Earl of Radnor, Sept. 28, 1765.

ARMS.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, party-per-fefs, *or*, and *argent*, an eagle displayed, with two heads, *sable*, for Bouverie, by English grant; second and third, *gules*, a bend, *vair*, being the original arms of Des Bouveries. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a demi-eagle displayed, *sable*; beaked and ducally gorged, *or*; on his breast a cross crocket, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side, an eagle reguardant, *sable*, gorged with a ducal coronet, charged on the breast with a cross crocket, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Patria cara, Carior Libertas.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Longford, near Salisbury, in Wiltshire.

SPENCER, EARL SPENCER.

THE Right Hon. JOHN SPENCER, Earl SPENCER, Viscount Spencer and Althorpe, and Baron Spencer of Althorpe, in the county of Northampton, was born Dec. 6, 1734, and created Viscount Spencer and Baron of Althorpe, April 3, 1761, and advanced to the dignities of Viscount Althorpe and Earl Spencer, Oct. 5, 1765. He married, Dec. 26, 1756, Georgina, eldest daughter of Stephen Pointz, Esq. by whom he has had issue, 1. George John, Visc. Althorpe, born Sept. 1, 1758; 2. Lady Georgina, born June 7, 1757; who in June, 1774, married his Grace William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire; 3. Lady Henrietta-Frances, born June 16, 1761; 4. Lady Charlotte, born Aug. 25, 1765.

His Lordship's father, the Hon. John Spencer, was the fourth son of Charles, Earl of Sunderland, by Lady Anne Churchill, second daughter and coheiress of John the Great Duke of Marlborough. [See Spencer, Duke of Marlborough.] He was married Feb. 14, 1734, to the Lady Georgina-Carolina, third daughter to the late Earl of Granville, and by her he had issue, 1. John, now Earl Spencer; 2. A daughter, who died young. The Hon. John Spencer, dying anno 1746, his widow married, in 1750, William Earl Cowper.

CREATIONS.] Viscount Spencer and Baron of Althorpe, April 3, 1761. and advanced to the dignities of Viscount Althorpe and Earl Spencer, Oct. 5, 1765.

ARMS.] Quarterly, the first grand quarter; quarterly, *argent* and *gules*, in the second and third, a fret, *or*; over all a bend, *sable*, charged with three escallops, *argent*, for Spencer; second and third grand quarter, *sable*, a lion rampant, *argent*, in a canton of the last, a cross, *gules*, for Churchill. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a gryphon's-head between two wings, *argent*, collared gemelly, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a gryphon, *per-fess ermine* and *ermineois*; and on the sinister, a wyvern, *ermine*, their wings erect, each gorged with a collar fleury, counter-fleury and chained, *sable*, and on the collars three escallops, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Dieu defend le droit.*

CHIEF SEATS. At Althorpe, in Northamptonshire; Wimbledon and Battersea, in Surry.

PITT, EARL OF CHATHAM.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM PITT, Earl of CHATHAM, Viscount Pitt of Burton-Pynsent, in the county of Somerset, was created a Peer by the titles as above July 30, 1766.

He married Lady Hester, only daughter of Richard Grenville, Esq. by the late Countess Temple, and is sister to Richard Earl Temple; she was created Baroness Chatham, Dec. 4, 1761. His Lordship has issue, 1. John, Lord Viscount Pitt, born Oct. 9, 1756. 2. William, born May 28, 1759. 3. James-Charles, born April 24, 1761. 4. Lady Hester, born October 18, 1755. 5. Lady Harriot, born April 14, 1758, and married in Dec. 1774, to Lord Viscount Mahon.

Thomas Pitt, Esq. grandfather of the Earl of Chatham, married Jane, daughter of James Innes, Esq. of Reidhall, in Scotland, by whom he had issue,

1. Robert, father of the Earl of Chatham.
2. Thomas, created Earl of Londonderry in Ireland, married Frances, daughter of Robert Ridgeway, Earl of Lon-

Londonderry, by whom he had two sons and a daughter,
1. Thomas. 2. Ridgeway, who both succeeded to the
Earldom, and both dying unmarried, the title became
extinct. 3. Lucy, married Peirce Meyrick, of Bodorgan
in Anglesea, Esq.

3. John, married Mary, sister of Thomas, Viscount
Fauconberg, and died without issue.

4. Lucy, married James Earl Stanhope.

5. Essex, married Charles Cholmondeley, of Vale-
Royal, Esq.

Robert Pitt, father of the present Earl, married
Harriot, sister to John Earl of Grandison, by whom he
had issue,

1. Thomas, who was Lord Warden of the Stannaries
and Steward of of the Duchy of Cornwall; he married
Christian, daughter of Sir Thomas Lyttelton, by whom he
had issue, 1. Thomas. 2. Amelia, married to William
Spry, L. L. D. 3. Christian, married to Thomas Saun-
ders, Esq.

2. William, Earl of Chatham.

3. Harriot, married to Sir William Corbet, Bart.

4. Catharine, married to Robert Needham, Esq.

5. Anne. 6. Elizabeth. 7. Mary.

CREATIONS.] Created Viscount Pitt, and Earl of
Chatham, July 30, 1766.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a fess chequé, *or* and *azure*, between
three bezants of the second. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] A crane, *proper*, beaked and membered,
or, holding up his right foot upon an anchor erect,
proper.

SUPPORTES.] On the dexter side, a lion guar-
dant, *argent*, charged on the right shoulder with a be-
zant. On the sinister, a buck attired, gorged and
chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Benigno numine.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hays, in Kent; and Burton-
Pynfant, in Somersetshire.

BATHURST, EARL BATHURST.

THE Right Honourable HENRY BATHURST, Earl
BATHURST, Baron Bathurst of Battlefen, and
Baron Apsley, was created Lord Apsley, Jan. 1771, and
succeeded

succeeded his father as Earl, Bathurst, Sept. 20, 1775, His Lordship married first Miss Philips; and secondly Miss Triphena Scawen, by whom he has issue, 1. Henry Lord Apsley, born May 22, 1762. 2. Lady Triphena. 3. Lady Catharine. 4. Lady Selina-Lætitia. 5. Lady Susan.

This family was originally seated at a place called Bathurst, near Battle-Abbey, in Suffex, and was possessed of several estates in Kent. Lawrence Bathurst left issue three sons, 1. Edward. 2. Robert. 3. John. Edward the eldest, had issue Lancelot, who lived in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, and married Judith, daughter of Richard Randolph, Esq. and had issue four sons; of which, George the youngest, in 1610, married Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Villiers, Esq. and by her had twelve sons and four daughters. Of the sons, Ralph was Dean of Wells, and died June 14, 1704; Villiers, died in 1711; Moses and Henry also lived to an advanced age; and leaving no issue male, and several of the other brothers dying, the estate devolved to the heirs of

Sir BENJAMIN the youngest, who died on the 27th of April, 1704

He married Frances, daughter to Sir Allen Apsley, by whom he had three sons, and a daughter, viz.

1. Allen the eldest son, the late Lord.
2. Peter, the second son, married to Leonora-Maria, daughter and heiress of Charles How, of Gritworth in the county of Northampton, Esq. and she dying, he married to his second wife, the Lady Selina Shirley, eldest daughter of Robert Earl Ferrers, by his 2d wife.
3. Benjamin Bathurst, the youngest son, married the daughter and coheirs of Henry Poole, of Kemble in Wiltshire, who died in childbed, 1738, having had twenty-one children, whereof seven survived her. He married, 1742, to his second wife Miss Brodrick, only daughter of Dr. Brodrick. He died in 1767.

4. Anne, married to Henry Pye, of Farringdon, in Berkshire, Esq.

(1st L. and E.) ALLEN, the eldest son, was created Lord Bathurst, December 31, 1711, and Earl Bathurst, Aug. 12, 1772. He married Catharine, daughter and heiress of Sir Peter Apsley, by which Lady, who died June 9, 1768, he had issue four sons and five daughters, viz.

1. Benjamin,

1. Benjamin, born Aug. 12, 1711, and married Nov. 26, 1732, Elizabeth, daughter of Charles late Earl of Aylesbury, and died Jan. 17, 1767, without issue. 2. Henry, the present Earl. 3. John, deceased. 4. Allen, died in Aug. 1767. 5. Frances, married Aug. 5, 1731, to William Woodhouse, Esq. who died in March 1735. She married secondly to James Whitshed, Esq. 6. Catharine, married in 1737, to Henry Reginald Courtenay, Esq. brother to the late Viscount Courtenay. 7. Jane, the third daughter, married in April 1744, James Buller, Esq. 8. Leonora, married in 1752, to Edward Urnston, Esq. 9. Anne, married in 1752, to the Reverend Mr. Benson. And his Lordship deceasing, Sept. 20, 1775, was succeeded by his son,

(2d E.) HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Bathurst, Dec. 31, 1711, Lord Apsley, Jan. 22, 1771; and Earl Bathurst, September 20, 1775.

ARMS.] *Sable*, two bars, *ermine*; in chief three crosses, pattée, *or*. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dexter arm, in mail, embowed, and holding a club with spikes, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two stags, *argent*, each gorged with a collar gemel, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Tien ta foy*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ruskens, in the county of Bucks; and Cirencester, in Gloucestershire.

HILL, EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. WILLS HILL, Earl of HILLSBOROUGH, and Viscount Fairford, in England; and Earl of Hillsborough, in Ireland.

For an account of this Family, see Earl of Hillsborough, in the Peerage of Ireland.

BRUCE, EARL OF AYLESBURY.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS BRUCE, Earl of AYLESBURY, Lord Bruce of Tottenham, youngest son of George, late Earl of Cardigan, succeeded to the title of

Lord Bruce on the death of Charles, Earl of Aylesbury, Feb. 10, 1747, and was created Earl of Aylesbury, June 8, 1776. He married Feb. 17, 1761, Susanna, daughter of Henry Hoare, Esq. and widow of Charles Viscount Dungarvon, by whom he has had issue,

1. George, Lord Bruce, born March 23, 1762.
2. Lady Carolina-Anne, born May 1, 1763.
3. Lady Frances-Elizabeth, born May 31, 1765.
4. Charles, died an infant.

His Majesty was pleased, December 29, 1767, to grant licence to his Lordship to take, use, and bear the name, arms, and supporters of Bruce.

Charles, late Earl of Aylesbury, was created Lord Bruce of Tottenham, in Wiltshire, 19 George II. 1746, with limitation of that honour to his nephew, the present Lord Bruce. His Lordship married Lady Anne Savile, eldest daughter and coheirefs to William Marquis of Halifax, by whom he had two sons and two daughters:

1. George, born in 1707, who died young.
2. Robert, who married in 1729, Frances, daughter of Sir William Blacket, of Newcastle upon Tyne, Bart. and died without issue.
3. Lady Mary, his eldest daughter, married in Dec. 1728, to Henry, late Duke of Chandos, and died in August 1738.
4. Lady Elizabeth, married in 1732, to the late Benjamin Bathurst, Esq.

The said Earl Charles, married to his second wife, the Lady Juliana Boyle, second daughter of Charles, late Earl of Burlington, who died without issue by him, in 1738.

He married again in June, 1739, Caroline, only daughter of John late Duke of Argyll, and dying Feb. 10, 1747, left issue by her a daughter, named Mary, married in 1757, to the Duke of Richmond.

CREATIONS.] Baron Bruce, April 17, 1746, Earl of Aylesbury June 8, 1776.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron, *gules*, between three steel caps, *azure*, differenced by a martlet, *sable*; being the distinction of a fourth son. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a sea horse naiant, *argent*, mane and tail, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side a savage wreathed about the temples, and girt about the loins with ivy, all proper;

proper; holding in their exterior hands a banner streaming over their heads, *or*, charged with a saltier, and chief, *gules*, on a canton, *argent*, a lion rampant, *azure*, the staff and point *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Fuimus.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Tottenham-Forest, in Wiltshire.

VILLIERS, EARL OF CLARENDON.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS VILLIERS, Earl of CLARENDON, Lord Hyde of Hindon, in the county of Wilts, 2d son to William the 2d Earl of Jersey. On June 1, 1756, his Lordship was created a Baron, by the name and stile of Lord Hyde of Hindon in the county of Wilts, to descend to the heirs male of his body, by the Lady Charlotte Hyde; and in default of such issue, the title of Baroness Hyde of Hindon, as aforesaid to devolve to the said Lady Charlotte Hyde, and the heirs male of her body, and was created Earl of Clarendon, June 9, 1776. For the ancestors of this noble Lord, *See Earl of Jersey*. On March 30, 1752, he married the Lady Charlotte Hyde, only daughter of William Earl of Essex, by his wife, the Lady Jane, daughter and coheirefs of Henry Earl of Clarendon, by whom he has issue, 1. Thomas, Lord Hyde, born Dec. 26, 1753. 2. John-Charles, born Nov. 13, 1757. 3. George, born Nov. 23, 1759. 4. Lady Charlotta-Barbara, March 27, 1761.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a cross, *gules*; three escallop shells, *or*, on an escutcheon, *azure*; a chevron between three lozenges, *or*. [*Plate XXX.*]

CREST.] A lion rampant, *argent*, ducally crowned, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side, an eagle, wings, *or*; ducally collared and legged, *or*; each charged on the breast with a cross, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Fidei coticula crux.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hindon, Wilts; Grove, Hertfordshire.

MURRAY, EARL OF MANSFIELD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM MURRAY, Earl of MANSFIELD, and Baron of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, Lord Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench, was created a Baron, Nov. 8, 1756, and was advanced to the dignity of an Earl, October 19, 1776, with remainder to the heirs male of his father. He married in September 1738, Lady Elizabeth, sister to the late Earl of Winchelsea, by whom he has no issue.

For a particular account of this noble lord's family, the reader is desired to see Viscount Stormont, among the Peers of Scotland.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three mullets, *argent*, within a double tressure, *or*. [Plate XXXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a buck's head, couped, *proper*, with a cross, pattee between his antlers, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side a lion rampant, *gules*, the dexter semeed with mullets; the sinister with crosses pattee, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Uni æquus virtuti.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Cane-Wood, near Hampstead, in Middlesex.

VISCOUNTS OF ENGLAND.

DEVEREUX, VISCOUNT HEREFORD.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD DEVEREUX, Viscount HEREFORD, and Baronet, Premier Viscount of England, born Feb. 19, 1741, and succeeded his father the late Viscount, August 21, 1760. His Lordship married in June, 1774, the Hon. Miss Henrietta Charlotte Tracy, maid of honour to the Queen.

This

This family, is said to take their surname from Eureux, a town of note in Normandy.

Sir JOHN DEVEREUX, in the 42d of Edward III. attended the Black Prince into Gascoign, and afterwards served that King in his war in France; and from the 8th to the 16th of Richard II. had summons to Parliament among the Barons. From him descended

Sir WALTER Devereux, who married Anne, sole daughter and heir to William Lord Ferrers of Chartley, and was summoned to Parliament as Lord Ferrers, the 1st of Edward IV. but was slain with Richard III. at Bosworth-field; leaving a daughter Elizabeth, married first to Sir Richard Corbet, and secondly to Sir Thomas Leighton; and a son,

Sir JOHN Devereux, who succeeded him as Lord Ferrers of Chartley. He married Cicilia, daughter to Henry Bouchier, Earl of Essex, and had summons to Parliament from the 3d to the 12th of Henry VII. and had a son,

(1st V.) WALTER, who succeeded him; and on the 2d of Feb. 1546, the 1st of Edw. VI. was created Visc. Hereford, and died 1558. He married to his first wife the Lady Mary Grey, daughter to Thomas Marquis of Dorset, and by her had three sons; 1. Henry, who died unmarried; 2. Sir Richard; 3. Sir William, who married Jane, daughter of John Scudamore, Esq. and left two daughters; Barbara, married first to Edward Cave, Esq. and afterwards to Sir Edward Hastings; and Margaret to Sir Robert Littleton. And by his second wife, Margaret, daughter to Robert Garnish, Esq. he had a son Sir Edward.

Sir RICHARD, the eldest son, married the Lady Dorothy, daughter to the first Earl of Huntingdon; and dying in his father's life-time, left issue,

(2d V.) WALTER, who succeeded his grandfather; and on the 4th of May, 1572, the 14th of Eliz. was created Earl of Essex. He was also stiled Earl of Eu, Hereford, and Bouchier, Lord Ferrers of Chartley, Bouchier, and Louvain, and died Sept. 22, 1576, leaving issue by Lettice his wife, daughter of Sir Francis Knolles, two daughters; Dorothy, first married to Sir Thomas Perrot, and secondly to Henry the ninth Earl of Northumberland; and Penelope, to Robert the third Earl of Warwick; and one son,

1st Earl.

Penelope Rich had two sons & two dau^{rs} by Chas. Blount 1st of Devonsh. But they must have been illegitimate, as the son did not inherit his title & Blount 1st of Devonsh. was afterwards created E. of Newport. Tho' it has been objected that the Penelope was divorced from 2^d Rich & marr^d to the E. of Devonsh. by his chaplain Laid who was of New Arch B. of Canterbury

2^d Earl. (3d V.) ROBERT Devereux, Earl of Essex, that great favourite of Queen Elizabeth, who was on Feb. 15, 1600, beheaded. He married Frances, daughter of Sir Francis Walsingham, widow of Sir Philip Sidney, and by her (who afterwards married Richard Bourk, Earl of St. Alban's) left one son and two daughters; which were Robert, Frances, and Dorothy; who were all restored in blood, the 1st of James I. The eldest daughter married the second Duke of Somerset; the youngest, first to Sir Henry Shirley, and second to William Stafford, Esq. He had also by his mistress Southwell a natural son named Walter.

3^d Earl. (4th V.) ROBERT, married first the Lady Frances Howard, daughter to Thomas the first Earl of Suffolk; but, that marriage being set aside, he married secondly Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Powlett, by whom he had a son, Robert, that died an infant; but dying Sept. 13, 1546, without surviving issue, the Earldoms of Essex and Eu became extinct, and the Barony of Ferrers of Chartley descended to the family of Shirley, Earl Ferrers.

Sir EDWARD Devereux, son of Walter, the first Visc. Hereford, married Catharine, daughter to Edward Arden, Esq. by whom he had two sons, Sir Walter and Sir George, of which,

(5th V.) Sir WALTER became Visc. Hereford, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Knightley, Esq. had five sons; Essex, Leicester, Walter, Edward, and John: Essex, the eldest, married Anne, daughter of Sir William Courteen, and died in his father's life-time, without issue; Walter, Edward, and John, left no issue; and

(6th V.) LEICESTER became heir. He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Withipole, and by her had a daughter Frances, married to the fourth Visc. Tracy; and by his second wife Priscilla, daughter to John Catchpole, Esq. he had two sons and two daughters; of which, Elizabeth died unmarried, and Anne married first to Leicester Martin, Esq. and left an only daughter Elizabeth, married to Price the tenth Viscount; and secondly to John Berkeley, Esq.; who died December 11, 1736, leaving a son Norborne Berkeley, the late Lord Botetourt, and a daughter Elizabeth, married in April, 1740, to Charles Noel, late Duke of Beaufort. And of the sons,

(7th V.) LEICESTER, the eldest, on the first of December, 1676, succeeded his father in the title of Viscount Hereford; but he dying in March, 1683, the honour devolved upon

(8th V.) EDWARD his brother. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Walter Narborne, Esq. but having no issue male, and dying on the 9th of August, 1700, we return to

Sir GEORGE, brother to Sir Walter, the 5th Viscount, who married Blanch, daughter and heir to John Ridge, Esq. and had George his heir, who married Bridget, daughter to Arthur Price, Esq. and had two sons, Price, who died before him, and Vaughan;

PRICE, the eldest, leaving issue by Mary his wife, daughter to — Stephens,

(9th V.) PRICE Devereux, his heir. This Lord married Mary, daughter to Samuel Sandys, Esq. and by her, who died on the 14th of Jan. 1729, had one son, Price, and one daughter, Mary, married to William Price, and dying in Oct. 1740, was succeeded in honour and estate by his only son,

(10th V.) PRICE Devereux, baron June 9, 1694, who married, January 3, 1720, Elizabeth, only daughter of Leicester Martin, Esq. which Lady died, leaving no issue. He married, July 30, 1740, to his second wife Eleonora, daughter of — Price, Esq. and dying in Aug. 1748, without issue, we return to

VAUGHAN, second son of George Devereux, Esq. who left issue by a daughter of — Fox,

ARTHUR, his heir, who married first a daughter of Evan Glynn, Esq. by whom he had two sons, Arthur, who died in 1737, without issue, and Vaughan, who died an infant; but by his second wife Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Glynn, Esq. had issue

(11th V.) EDWARD, late Viscount Hereford, who married Catharine, daughter of Richard Mytton, Esq. which Lady died Feb. 2, 1749; by whom he had issue, 1. Bridget, born May 9, 1739; 2. Arthur, born March 25, 1740, died Sept. 17, 1743; 3. Edward now Viscount Hereford, born Feb. 19, 1741; 4. Arthur, born Feb. 10, 1742, and died in July following; 5. Catharine, born Feb. 7, 1743; 6. George, born April 25, 1744.

His Lordship departing this life, on Aug. 21, 1760, was succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

(12th V.) EDWARD, the present Viscount.

CREATION.] Viscount Hereford, Feb. 2, 1550.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a fess, *gules*, and in chief three torteauxes, *gules*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a talbot's head, *argent*; eared, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a talbot, *argent*; eared, *gules*; with a ducal coronet of the *second*. On the sinister a rein deer of the *last*, attired; gorged with a ducal coronet, and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Basis virtutum constantia*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Nanteribba, in Montgomeryshire.

BROWN, VISCOUNT MONTAGU.

THE Right Honourable ANTHONY BROWN, Viscount MONTAGU, born in 1730, and succeeded his father, April 23, 1767. He married July 2, 1765, Frances, daughter of Herbert Mackworth, Esq. and widow of Lord Halkerton, by whom he has a daughter, born Feb. 5, 1767.

Sir ANTHONY BROWN, Knight of the Bath at the coronation of King Richard II. had issue Sir Robert, and Sir Stephen, who was Lord-Mayor of London in 1439. Sir Robert was father of Sir Thomas, who had five sons; 1. Sir George; 2. William, who died without issue; 3. Anthony; 4. Thomas; 5. Sir Robert. Anthony married Lucy, daughter to John Nevil, and had Sir Anthony, who left by Alice his wife, daughter of Sir John Gage, four sons, 1. Anthony; 2. Thomas; 3. William.

(1st V.) ANTHONY the eldest, was in the 1st of Philip and Mary, advanced to the dignity of Baron and Viscount Montagu. He married first Jane, daughter to Robert Ratcliffe, Earl of Sussex, and had a son Anthony, and a daughter Mary, first married to Henry Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton, secondly to Sir Thomas Heneage, Kt. and thirdly to Sir William Harvey; and by his second wife, Magdalen, daughter to William Lord Dacres, he had four sons and three daughters; 1. Elizabeth, married to Robert the first Lord Dormer; 2. Mabel, to Sir Henry

Marry of
died 1687

Henry Capel; 3. Jane, to Sir Francis Lacon. The sons were, 1. Sir George; 2. Thomas died unmarried; 3. Henry; and 4. Francis.

ANTHONY, by the first wife, married Mary, daughter to Sir William Dormer, and dying in his father's life-time, Oct. 19, 1592, left three sons and three daughters; Dorothy, married to Edmund Lee, Esq. Jane to Sir Francis Englefield; and Catharine to — Treganian, Esq. The sons were, 1. Anthony; 2. John, who married Anne Gifford, and had issue Stanislaus and George; 3. William.

(2d V.) ANTHONY the eldest, succeeded his grandfather; and by Jane, daughter to Thomas, first Earl of Dorset, had Francis his heir, and six daughters; Mary, married first to William Lord St. John, of Basing; Catharine, to William Tyrwhitt, Esq. Anne and Lucy, both nuns; Frances married to John Blomer, Esq. and Maria to Robert the third Lord Petre: And

(3d V.) FRANCIS, their brother, who succeeded his father, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Henry the first Marquis of Worcester, had Anthony, who died unmarried; Francis, and Henry; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Christopher, the fifth Lord Teynham.

(4th V.) FRANCIS, the eldest surviving son, on the 2d of Nov. 1682, succeeded, and married Mary, daughter to William Marquis of Powys, and widow of Richard, eldest son of Caryl Visc. Molineux in Ireland; but, dying without issue in 1708,

(5th V.) HENRY, his brother, became heir. He married Barbara, daughter to James Walsingham, Esq. and dying on the 25th of June, 1717, left Anthony his heir, and six daughters; Mary, who died unmarried; Elizabeth, a nun; Barbara, married to Ralph Salvin, Esq. Catharine, to George Collingwood, Esq. Anne, married to Anthony Kempe, of Slindon, Esq. and Henrietta married — Harcourt, Esq.

(6th V.) ANTHONY, who succeeded, marrying Barbara, third daughter to Sir John Webb, by her left Anthony, the present Viscount; and Mary, born in 1735, and married on September 24, 1761, to Sir Richard Bedingfield, Bart.

CREATION.] Viscount Montagu, Sept. 2, 1554.

ARMS.] *Sable*, three lions passant in bend, between two double cotises, *argent*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, an eagle displayed, *vert*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wolves, *argent*; with each a plain collar and chain. *or*.

MOTTO.] *Suivez raison*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Cowdry in Sussex.

FIENNES, VISCOUNT SAY AND SELE.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD FIENNES, Viscount and Baron SAY and SELE, succeeded Laurence, late Viscount Say and Sele, his cousin, in Dec. 1742. He married Jan. 28, 1754, Isabella, daughter of Sir John Tirrel, and relict, first of John Knap, Esq. and secondly, of John Pigot of Doddershall, in the county of Bucks, Esq.

This family is descended from JOHN Baron of Fiennes, Hereditary Constable of Dover Castle. Sir William Fiennes, Kt. who died the 34th of Edward III. married Joan, daughter to Geoffrey Lord Say, (her eldest sister, Idonea, being married to John Clinton, ancestor of the Earl of Lincoln) and had a son Sir William Fienes, who married Elizabeth, daughter of William Battisford, and had two sons, Roger and James: Roger the eldest, had a son Richard, who marrying Joan, daughter of Thomas Lord Dacre, was declared Lord Dacre the 37th of Hen. VI.

(1st Ld.) Sir JAMES, second son of Sir William, in regard that Joan his mother was sister and coheir to William de Say, was summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Say and Sele. He married Emeline, daughter of — Cromer of Willingham, and was succeeded by

(1st Ld.) Sir WILLIAM, his son, who married Margaret, daughter to William Wyckham, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, and by her, who married 2dly, John Harvey, Esq. had a son,

HENRY, who succeeded him; but the said Lord William having suffered much, and been forced to mortgage the greatest part of his estate, in him the Barony ceased. He died

died Aug. 1, 16 Edw. IV. and by Anne, daughter to Sir Richard Harcourt, had

RICHARD, his heir, who by Elizabeth, daughter to Richard Crofts, Esq. had a daughter Elizabeth, married to William Danvers, Esq. and a son,

EDWARD, who marrying Margaret, daughter to Sir John Danvers, by her was father of

RICHARD, who succeeded him, and married Ursula, fourth daughter to Richard Fermor, Esq. and by her was father of

(3d Ld.) Sir RICHARD, who by letters patent, in 1603, the 1st of James I. was restored to the title of Lord Say and Sele, and died in 1612. He married Constance, daughter of Sir William Kingsmill, and by her had a daughter Anne, married first to Henry Cave, Esq. and secondly to Sir William Villiers, and a son,

(1st. V.) Sir WILLIAM, who in the 22d of James I. was created Viscount Say and Sele. He marrying Elizabeth, daughter to John Temple, Esq. by her had four sons, James, Nathaniel, John and Richard; and five daughters, Bridget, married to Theophilus the fourth Earl of Lincoln; Elizabeth to Richard Norton, Esq. Constance, to Sir Francis Boynton, Bart. Susan to Thomas Earl, Esq. and Anne to Sir Charles Wolseley.

(2d V.) JAMES, the eldest son, in 1662, succeeded his father. He married Frances, daughter to Edward Visc. Wimpleton, and had three sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir John Twissleton; and Frances to Andrew Ellis, Esq. The two eldest sons dying in their infancy, and the youngest in France, unmarried, we return to

NATHANIEL, his brother, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John Elior, had a son,

(3d V.) WILLIAM, who in 1673, succeeded the said James, his uncle, in his honours. He married Mary, daughter of Richard Fiennes before-mentioned, his father's youngest brother, and had an only son,

(4th V.) NATHANIEL, who succeeded him; but, he dying on the 10th of January, 1710, unmarried, we return to

JOHN FIENNES, the 3d son of William the 1st Viscount. He married Susanna, daughter to Thomas Hobbs, Esq. and had six sons: John, Thomas, and Henry, who died

unmarried; William married Cecile, daughter of Andrew Ellis, Esq. before-mentioned, widow of Richard Langley, Esq. but left no issue; Laurence became the 5th Viscount, and Richard died young. He had also four daughters; Susannah married to Thomas Filmer, Esq. Hannah to Mr. John Knight; Elizabeth and Martha died unmarried.

(5th V.) LAWRENCE, succeeding to the title, took his seat in the House of Peers, Feb. 24, 1710; and dying without issue in Dec. 1742, we come to

RICHARD, the fourth son of the first Viscount. He married two wives; first the daughter of Andrew Burrell, Esq. and had two sons, viz. Faramus and William, who both died without issue; and five daughters; Elizabeth married first to William Danvers; secondly to John Brawn; Mary, to William the third Viscount above-mentioned; Anne, to Dr. Beaumont Percival; Arabella; and Alice, married to John Horn, Esq. He married, secondly, Susanna, third daughter of Sir William Cobb, by whom he had one son,

RICHARD, a clergyman, who married Penelope, daughter of George Chamberlain, Esq. and had issue Richard, the present Viscount, and five daughters; Susanna died unmarried; Vere married to Richard Wyckham, Esq. died in 1768; Elizabeth married to the Rev. Mr. Henry Quartley; and Cecilia, married to Capt. Gordon.

(6th V.) RICHARD, his cousin, succeeded to the title, and is the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron by writ, March 3, 1447, Viscount, July 7, 1624.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three lions rampant, *or*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wolf sejant, *argent*; his radiant collar and chain, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wolves, *argent*; gorged and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Fortem posce animum.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Doddershall in Bucks.

TOWNSHEND, VISCOUNT TOWNSHEND.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE TOWNSHEND, Viscount TOWNSHEND of Raynham, and Baron Townshend of Lynn-Regis, and Baronet, born Feb. 28, 1724, and succeeded

succeeded his father the late Viscount, March 12, 1764. He married in December, 1751, Lady Charlotte, only daughter to James Earl of Northampton, and Baroness Ferrers of Chartley, in the right of her mother, by which Lady, who died September 14, 1770, he has issue,
 1. George, born April 18, 1753, now Baron Ferrers.
 2. John, born in Jan. 1757, ~~and died in Dec. 1773~~; and
 3. Frederick-Patrick, born Dec. 20, 1767, who died within a week after his brother John. His Lordship married secondly, May 19, 1773, Miss Montgomery, by whom he has a daughter, born July 9, 1777.

The family of Townshend hath long flourished in Norfolk. Sir Roger Townshend, in the reign of Edward V. was made Chief-Justice of the Common Pleas: He married Anne, daughter of Sir William Brewse, by whom he had a numerous issue. The sons were, 1. Sir Roger, who died without issue; 2. John; 3. Sir Robert, who was Chief-Justice of Chester; 4. George; 5. Thomas; 6. Giles. John the second son, married Eleanor, daughter of Sir John Heydon, and had four sons, of which, Richard, the eldest, married Catharine, daughter to Sir Humphry Brown, and by her had Sir Roger Townshend, who by Jane, youngest daughter of Sir Michael Stanhope, who afterwards married Henry the seventh Lord Berkeley, had issue, 1. Sir John; 2. Sir Robert, who married Anne, daughter to William Lord Spencer, but died without issue. Sir John married the daughter of Nathaniel Bacon, and by her had,

(1st Bart.) 1. ROGER, who died in 1617, the 15th of James I. was created a Baronet, and died Jan. 1, 1636; 2. Stanhope; 3. Elizabeth, married to John Spelman, Esq. Sir Roger, the eldest, married Mary, daughter to Horace Lord Vere, and by her, who afterwards married Mildmay, the second Earl of Westmoreland, had Sir Roger, who died in his minority, and Sir Horatio, and five daughters, Mary, Jane, Anne, Elizabeth, and Vere; whereof the latter was married to Sir Ralph Hare; Anne, to William Cartwright, Esq. Jane to John Wyndham, Esq. and Mary to Thomas Lord Crew; And

(1st V.) Sir HORATIO, their brother, in 1661, was created Lord Townshend, and in 1682, Viscount Townshend. He married first Mary, daughter to Edward Lewknor, Esq. by whom he had no issue; secondly Mary, daughter to Sir Joseph Ashe, by whom he had three sons, Charles,

Roger, and Horatio; whereof the latter died Oct. 4, 1751, leaving a daughter, married to the Lord Burleigh, eldest son of the Earl of Exeter: Roger died May 22, 1709, unmarried: And

1690- (2d V.) CHARLES, the eldest, succeeded his father. By his second wife (who was Dorothy, sister to Robert Earl of Orford, and who died on the 29th of March, 1726) he had issue four sons and two daughters; George, an admiral in the navy, died in 1769; Augustus, deceased in 1743; Horatio, died in 1765; Edward, dean of Norwich, who married in May, 1747, a daughter of Brigadier-General Price, by whom he had three daughters, and died Jan. 27, 1765; Dorothy, married to Dr. Spencer Cowper, Dean of Durham, and Mary, married March 17, 1753, to Edward Cornwallis, Esq. And by his first (who was Elizabeth, second daughter to Thomas Lord Pelham) he had four sons, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Charles Lord Cornwallis.

Of the sons by the first wife, which were Charles, Thomas, William, and Roger, the latter died on August 7, 1760. William, on May 29, 1725, married Jane, daughter of the Lord William Powlett, and died in Jan. 1738, leaving a son, Charles, and four daughters, Caroline, Anne, Henrietta deceased, and Dorothy; and their mother died in Jan. 1755. Thomas, the second, on May 2, 1730, married Albana, daughter to Colonel John Selwyn, and by her, who died in 1739, he had three sons, Thomas, born 1733; Charles, born in 1736, and Henry, and two daughters, Albinia, born in April, 1735, and married to George late Visc. Middleton of Ireland, in April, 1752, and Mary.

(3d V.) CHARLES, the eldest, on the 24th of May, 1723, was called up by writ to the House of Peers, and in *Ethebrada* the same month married Audrey, daughter of Edward Harrison of Balls, in the county of Hertford, Esq. and by her had issue four sons and a daughter; 1. George, the present Viscount. 2. Charles, who married Sept. 15, 1755, to the Lady Caroline, eldest daughter of John late Duke of Argyll, widow of Francis Earl of Dalkeith, and Baroness Greenwich, and died Sept. 4, 1767. 3. Edward died June 25, 1731. 4. Roger, Lieutenant-Colonel in the army, who was killed, July 25, 1759, aged 28, at Ticonderago; and 5. Audrey, unmarried.

His

His Lordship succeeded his father in June, 1738, and departed this life March 12, 1764, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(4th V.) GEORGE, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron, April 20, 1661, Viscount, Dec. 2, 1682.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a chevron, *ermine*, between three escallop shells, *argent*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a buck, *sable*, attired, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a buck, *sable*; on the sinister, a greyhound, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Hæc generi incrementa fides.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Raynham-Hall, and Stiffcay-Hall, in the county of Norfolk.

THYNNE, VISCOUNT WEYMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS THYNNE, Viscount WEYMOUTH, and Baron Thynne, of Warminster, and Bart. born Sept. 13, 1734, succeeded Thomas the late Visc. his father, Jan. 12, 1751; and married May 22, 1759, the Lady Elizabeth Bentinck, eldest daughter of the late Duke of Portland, by whom he has, 1. Thomas. 2. Louisa. 3. Henrietta. 4. Sophia.

This family, according to the account of our best historians, came into England in the reign of King John, bearing the surname of Bouteville.

JOHN Bouteville, was named John le Thynne; and from him (who lived in the reign of Edward IV.) the name of Thynne was derived to the family of Bouteville.

He married Joan, daughter of — Boulder, by whom he had issue three sons, William, Roger, and Thomas; William married Joan, daughter of John Higgins of Stratton, and had issue Thomas, and William. Thomas married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Eynes, Esq. by whom he had Sir John Thynne, who built Long-Leate.

He married first Christian, daughter to Sir Richard Gresham, and by her had John, his heir; Francis; Thomas; and three daughters; Anne, married to John Colles, Esq. Dorothy married to John Strangways, Esq. and Elizabeth, to Sir John Chamberlain. His second wife was Dorothy, daughter to Sir William Wroughton, by whom he had five sons,

he began to build Longleat 1567 but did not live to perfect it though it was 13 years from the foundation of it to the time of his death.

*John T.
Christian
Anne
Dorothy
Elizabeth*

Egrem sons, Henry, Charles, Edward, William, and Egremont; and two daughters, Catharine and Gresham. He died *Sir John* May 21, 1580, and was succeeded by Sir John, his eldest son, who married *Joan* Joan, daughter of Sir Rowland Heyward, and by her had a son, *Thomas* Thomas, and two daughters; Dorothy, married to *Roscarrock* Roscarrock, Esq. and Christian to Sir Francis Leigh; Sir Thomas, married two wives; first Mary, daughter to George, Earl of Castlehaven, by whom he had two sons, Sir James and Sir Thomas; of which the eldest succeeded him; but he (who married the Lady Isabella Rich, daughter to Henry Earl of Holland) dying without issue, Sir Thomas his brother became heir; he married a daughter of Dr. Balenquell, and had issue one son, Thomas, and two daughters; one married to Mr. Baynton, and the other to Mr. Hall: Thomas, their brother, succeeded his father; he was married or contracted in marriage to Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Josceline Percy, the last Earl of Northumberland, and widow of Henry Earl of Ogle, son of Henry Duke of Newcastle, afterwards the wife of Charles Duke of Somerset; on which Lady's account he was basely murdered, by the contrivance of Count Conningsmark, in his coach, in Pall-mall, on Sunday the 12th of Feb. 1682, by three assassins, who were all executed where they committed the fact.

The male line of this branch thus expiring, we return to Sir Thomas Thynne, his grandfather, who married to his second wife Catharine, daughter of Charles Howard, by whom he had Sir Henry-Frederick Thynne, Bart. who married Mary, daughter to Thomas Lord Coventry, and by her had three sons and two daughters; of which Catharine, the youngest, was married to John Visc. Londsdale, and Mary the eldest to Sir Richard How.

(1st V.) And of the sons, which were THOMAS, James, and Henry-Frederick, James died unmarried, March 15, 1709, at Long-Leate; and the eldest, succeeding, was created a Baron, and Viscount Weymouth, with limitation, in failure of heirs, to his Brothers. *Tho. 1. V. of*

He married the Lady Frances Finch, eldest daughter to Heneage Earl of Winchelsea, and by her, who died April 17, 1712, aged 63, had a son Henry, and a daughter Frances, married to Sir Robert Worsley. And Henry, his son, marrying Grace, daughter to Sir George Strode, by her had two daughters, Frances and Mary; of which the youngest

youngest married William Grevile Lord Brook, but died March 29, 1720, and the eldest was the widow-
dowager of Algernon Seymour Duke of Somerset. But
the said Henry, having no issue male, and dying on the
20th of December 1708, in his father's life-time, the
title, after his father's decease, the 28th of July, 1714,
descended to the heirs of Henry-Frederick, before men-
tioned, his father's younger brother; who marrying
Dorothy, daughter to Francis Philips, Esq. by her had
Thomas, who died in the 24th of April, 1710; John, who
died in 1708; Dorothy married to John late Lord Ched-
worth; and Mary, who died in 1710. Thomas their
brother, ^{m 1709} married Mary, daughter to Edward Earl of Jersey,
whom he left with child of

(2d V.) THOMAS, successor to Thomas, his grand-
father's brother; and his Lordship on the 6th of Dec.
1726, married the Lady Elizabeth Sackville, daughter of
Lionel Duke of Dorset, who died before cohabitation, on
the 29th of June, 1729, whilst his Lordship was on his
travels. But his Lordship, marrying in July 1733, to
his second wife, Louisa, second daughter to John late Earl
of Granville, had issue Thomas, the present Viscount;
Henry-Frederick, born Nov. 17, 1735, who was heir to
the late Earl Granville, and thereupon took the name of
Carteret; and James, born December 25, 1736, when she
died in child-bed, and her son James, aforesaid, on March
19, 1741. His Lordship dying January 12, 1751, was
succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d V.) THOMAS, now Viscount Weymouth.

CREATIONS.] Baron and Viscount December 11, 1682.

ARMS.] Barry of ten, *or* and *sable*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a rein deer, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a rein deer, *or*,
gorged with a plain collar, *sable*; on the sinister, a lion, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *J'ay bonne cause.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Longleat in Wiltshire; Drayton
Bassit in Warwickshire; Botsfield in Salop.

ST. JOHN, VISCOUNT BOLINGBROKE.

THE Right Hon. FREDERICK ST. JOHN, Lord Visc.
BOLINGBROKE, and St. John, Baron St. John of
Lydiard-Tregoze, and Baron St. John of Battersea, suc-
ceeded

ceeded as Viscount St. John, on the death of his father, in Feb. 1749, and succeeded to the honours and estates of his uncle the late Lord Viscount Bolingbroke, who died Feb. 15, 1751; and in Sept. 1757, ^{Charles 2d} was married to Lady Diana Spencer, daughter to his Grace the late Duke of Marlborough, from whom he was divorced in 1768. He has issue two sons, 1. George, born March 5, 1761. 2. Frederick, born Dec. 20, 1763.

This is a younger branch of the family of St. John of Bletshoe.

Sir OLIVER St. John married Elizabeth, daughter to Henry Lord Scroop, and by her had John, his heir, and three daughters; of which, Elizabeth was married first to Gerald Earl of Kildare, and secondly to Sir John Wallop; Eleanor to Thomas Grey, Marquis of Dorset; and Margaret was Abbess of Shaftesbury.

JOHN, who succeeded his father, married Jane, daughter of Sir John Ewarby, and by her had two sons, John and Oliver; of which, the eldest marrying Margaret, daughter of Richard Carew, had three sons, Nicholas, William, and John.

NICHOLAS, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Richard Blount, and by her had two sons, John and Oliver, and five daughters; whereof Catharine was married to — Webb, Esq. Eleanor to Sir Thomas Cave; Jane to — Nicholas; Dorothy to — Egiok, Esq. and Elizabeth to Sir Richard St. George. And of the sons,

OLIVER was on the 3d of June, 1623, created Viscount Grandison of Limerick in Ireland; and on May 21, 1626, was created Baron Tregoze of Highworth in Wilts; but dying on the 30th of Dec. 1630, without issue, his honours expired with him.

Sir JOHN, his brother, married Lucy, daughter to Sir Walter Hungerford, and by her had an only son, and six daughters; of which, Barbara was married to Sir Edward Villiers; Lucy to Sir Allen Apsley; Jane, first to — Ayte, and secondly to Sir Charles Pleydell; Catharine to Sir Charles Mompeyson; Anne to Sir George Ayliffe; and Eleanor to Sir William St. John.

(1st Bart.) And his son JOHN, was on the 22d of May, 1611, created a Baronet. He married Anne, daughter to Thomas Leighton, and by her had seven sons and a daughter

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He espoused the royal party

ter of her name, first married to Francis-Henry Lee, after his decease, to Henry Wilmot Earl of Rochester. And of the sons, which were Oliver, William, Edward, Nicholas, John, Walter, and Henry; William was killed at the taking of Cirencester, Edward at the Battle of Newbury, and John in the North. ^{who married daughter of Geo. Boyle} Henry married Catharine, daughter to Oliver St. John, by whom he had an only daughter Anne, who married to Anthony Bowyer, Esq. and Oliver, the eldest, succeeded his father.

^{afterwards} He married Catharine, daughter to Horatio Lord Vere, and by her had Sir John St. John; but the said Sir John dying unmarried, his honour descended to Sir Walter St. John, his uncle, his father's sixth brother, who died July 3, 1708.

He married Johanna, another daughter of Oliver St. John, and by her had

(1st V.) Sir HENRY St. John, his only son, who was the 2d of Geo. I. created Baron of Battersea, and Viscount St. John, and a daughter Anne, who was the second wife of Thomas Cholmondeley, Esq.

Sir Henry married to his first wife Mary, daughter to Robert Rich, Earl of Warwick, by whom he had an only son, named Henry, who in July 1712, was created Baron St. John of Tregoeze in Wiltshire, and Viscount Bolingbroke, with remainder for want of issue male, to Sir Henry St. John, Bart. his father, and the heirs male of his body; But in 1741, those honours were forfeited; and he died Dec. 15, 1751. He married first Frances, daughter of Sir Henry Winchcomb, and secondly Mary Clara des Champs de Marilly, niece to the famous Mad. de Maintenon, and widow of the Marquis de Villette; but had no issue by either; and this Lady died March 18, 1750.

And his father, the Lord St. John, by his second Lady Angelica-Magdalena, who died in August 1736, daughter to George Pellefary, had three sons and a daughter, Henrietta married to Robert Knight, Earl of Catherlough.

Of the sons, George, the eldest, died at Venice, in 1715. ^{John 2d son} Holles, third son, died in October 1738, unmarried.

His Lordship, dying in April 1742, was succeeded (according to the limitation of the patent) by

(2d V.) JOHN, his second and only surviving son, by his last wife; who married on the 17th of April, 1729,

^{in 1784} Sir Hen. St. John 5th Bart. was convicted of the murder of Sir Wm. Heathcote & afterwards pardoned.

Oliver
2d Bar.

John
3d Bar.

Walter
4th Bar.

Henry
5th Bar.

John

Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Furness. His second wife was Hester, daughter of James Clarke, Esq. He dying in France in Feb. 1749, and leaving, by his first wife, three sons and one daughter, Frederick, the present Viscount; Henry, John, and Anne, married to William Bagot, Esq. was succeeded by his eldest son, *Louise*

(3d V.) FREDERICK, who succeeded his uncle the Lord Viscount Bolingbroke in October 1761.

CREATIONS.] Baron St. John of Lydiard Tregoze, and Viscount Bolingbroke, July 7, 1712. Baron St. John of Battersea, and Viscount St. John July 2, 1716.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a chief, *gules*, two mullets, pierced, *or*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mount, *proper*, and therefrom a falcon rising, with bells, *or*, and ducally gorged, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles with wings expanded, *or*, crowned ducally, *gules*, and upon each breast a pair of horses hemes, tied at the top and bottom, *proper*, within which is party-per-pale, *argent* and *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Nec quærere nec spernere bonorem.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Lydiard in Wilts.

BOSCAWEN, VISCOUNT FALMOUTH.

THE Right Honourable HUGH BOSCAWEN, Viscount FALMOUTH, Baron Boscawen-Rose, succeeded Hugh, the late Viscount his father, Oct. 25, 1734. He married Anna Catharina Maria Russel, widow of Richard Russel, by whom he has no issue. *ob. 1782*

RICHARD Boscawen, Esq. lived in the reign of Henry VI. His son John, married Elizabeth, daughter to Nicholas Loar, and was succeeded by a son John, who died in 1524, leaving Thomas, his son and heir, from whom descended HUGH, who marrying Lady Anne, daughter to Wentworth Earl of Kildare, by her, who afterwards married Francis Roberts, Esq. had two sons Edward and Hugh: The youngest married Margaret, daughter of Theophilus Earl of Lincoln. Edward, the eldest son, married Jael, daughter of Sir Francis Godolphin, and had

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(1st V.) HUGH, who, on June 8, 1720, was created a Peer. He married Charlotte, daughter to Colonel Charles Godfrey, by whom he had issue eight sons and ten daughters, viz.

1. Hugh, the present Viscount. 2. Charles, died young. 3. Edward; Admiral of the Blue, who died in Jan. 1761, married to Frances, daughter of Evelyn Glanville, of St. Clare in Kent, Esq. in December 1742, by whom he had, Edward-Hugh; William Glanville; George-Evelyn; Frances; Elizabeth, married to Henry Duke of Beaufort. 4. George, General in the army, married Anne, daughter of John Morley Trevor, Esq. and had George, born Sept. 4, 1745; Anne, born Oct. 10, 1744; Charlotte, born May 1, 1747; William, born Aug. 17, 1752. 5. John, a Brigadier-General, died in 1767. He married Miss Surman, who died Jan. 18, 1749, and left one son William Augustus Spencer, born Jan. 1754. 6. William-Frederick, who died unmarried. 7. Henry, died unmarried. 8. Nicholas, D. D. married Mrs. Hatton, and has one son Nicholas, born March 25, 1756. 9. Charlotte married to Henry Moor, Earl of Drogheda, who died in April 1735. 10. Anne married to Sir Cecil Bishopp, Bart. and is since dead. 11. Mary married in August 1732, to John Evelyn, Esq. also dead. 12. Lucy married to Sir Charles Frederick; and 13. Catharine, who died unmarried. The rest died young and unmarried. And his Lordship dying Oct. 25, 1734, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d V.) HUGH, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron Boscawen-Rose, and Viscount Falmouth in the county of Cornwall, June 8, 1720, 6 Geo. I.

ARMS.] *Ermine*, a rose, *gules*, barbed and seeded, proper. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a boar passant, *gules*, armed, bristled and unguled, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two sea-lions, *argent*, gutty de larmes.

MOTTO.] *In Cælo Quies.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Tregothan, in the county of Cornwall.

BYNG, VISCOUNT TORRINGTON.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE BYNG, Viscount TORRINGTON, Baron Byng and Baronet, born in 1739, succeeded George, the late Viscount, his father, April 6, 1750. He married July 10, 1765, Lady Lucy, only daughter of John Earl of Cork and Orrery.

This family was long seated at Wrotham in Kent. John Byng, in the year 1535, marrying Agnes, daughter to — Spencer of Essex, by her had two sons and three daughters.

The sons were Robert and Thomas, the eldest succeeded his father, and was High-Sheriff of Kent, the 34th of Eliz. and married to his first wife Frances, daughter to Richard Hill, Esq. and by her had three sons, George, John and Francis died without issue: And by his second wife, the daughter of William Maynard, Esq. he had William and a daughter Anne, married to David Polhill, Esq.

GEORGE, marrying Jane, daughter to William Cromer, Esq. by her had a son George, and four daughters; whereof Elizabeth, the eldest, was married to Thomas Polhill, Esq. and

GEORGE, her brother, in 1616, succeeded his father. He married Catharine, daughter to Sir John Hewet, by whom he had John his heir, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to — Man, Esq. but the said

JOHN, her brother, married Philadelphia, daughter to — Johnson, and by her left several children; of which,

(1st V.) GEORGE, the eldest, was bred up in the sea-service, and on the 9th of Sept. 1721, was created Baron Byng of Southill, and Visc. Torrington. He married in 1691, Margaret, daughter to James Master, Esq. and by her, who died April 1, 1756, aged 87, had eleven sons and four daughters: Of the latter, Sarah only survived him: She married John Osborne, Esq.

The sons who survived him, were Pattee, George, Robert, John, and Edward; the latter on the 17th of November 1730, was married to Mary, daughter of John Brampton, Esq. and died in 1756: The unfortunate John, Admiral of the Blue, was shot, agreeable to the sentence of a Court-Martial, on board his Majesty's ship the Monarque, in Portsmouth harbour, March 14, 1757; Robert, on
Dec.

Dec. 19, 1734, married Elizabeth, daughter of Jonathan Forward, Esq. in May 1739, he was made Governor of Barbadoes, and died there in Oct. 1740, leaving three sons, George, Robert, died young, and John, died in 1764.

(2d V.) PATTEE, the eldest, on the 13th of January 1732, succeeded as Visc. Torrington. In June, 1724, he married the Lady Charlotte Montagu, daughter of Charles Duke of Manchester, and by her, who died Sept. 14, 1759, he had a daughter Carolina, and a son George, who died on the 15th of May, 1730. He died January 23, 1747, without issue male, and was succeeded by his brother,

(3d V.) GEORGE, who married in 1736, Elizabeth, daughter of ——— Daniel, Esq. son of Sir Peter Daniel, Kt. by which Lady, who died March 17, 1759, he had two sons George, and John; and dying April 7, 1750, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(4th V.) GEORGE, now Viscount Torrington.

CREATIONS.] Baron and Viscount, Sept. 9, 1721.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *sable* and *argent*; in the first a lion rampant of the *second*. [*Plate XXII.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, an antelope passant, *ermine*, horned, tusked, flashed, manned and hoofed, *or*, langued, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an Antelope, *ermine*, horned, manned, and hoofed, *or*, standing on a ship gun, *proper*. And on the sinister side, a sea-horse, *proper*, finned, *or*, on a like gun.

MOTTO.] *Tuebor.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Southill in Bedfordshire.

FITZGERALD, VISCOUNT LEINSTER.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM FITZGERALD, Viscount LEINSTER of Taplow in the county of Bucks, and Duke of Leinster, Marquis and Earl of Kildare, Earl and Baron of Offaley in the kingdom of Ireland.

For an account of this family, see Duke of Leinster in the Peerage of Ireland.

NOEL, VISCOUNT WENTWORTH.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS NOEL, Viscount WENTWORTH, of Wellesborough, and Baron Wentworth of Nettlested, and Baronet, was born Nov. 18, 1744, and succeeded his father, the late Viscount, in Nov. 1774.

An account of this noble family may be seen under the title of Wentworth, Earl of Strafford; and that Sir Thomas Wentworth, who was created Lord Wentworth of Nettlested, was also on the 7th of Feb. 1625, created Earl of Cleveland, and died March 26, 1667. He married to his first wife Anne, daughter to Sir John Crofts, by whom he had three sons, Thomas Lord Wentworth, William, and Charles, who both died young; also three daughters, Anne and Mary, who died young, and another Anne, of whom hereafter. And the said Thomas Lord Wentworth, dying in the life-time of his father, without issue male, the title of Earl of Cleveland became extinct, and the Barony of Wentworth descended to his only daughter and heir Henrietta; who dying unmarried on the 23d of April, 1686, it devolved on Anne, her father's sister, who was stiled Baroneß Wentworth of Nettlested, and married John Lord Lovelace, by whom she had a son and heir, John Lord Lovelace, and three daughters; Anne, who died unmarried; Margaret, who was married to Sir William Noel; and Martha to William Drax, Esq. But her son John Lord Lovelace dying before her, Sept. 26, 1693, and having married Martha, one of the daughters of Sir Edmund Pye, by her had a son John, who died an infant, and three daughters; Anne, who died unmarried, March 31, 1691; Catharine, who died unmarried, June 22, 1693; and Martha, his sole heir, successor to her grandmother in the Barony of Wentworth; which title was adjudged to her by parliament, in 1703.

She married Sir Henry Johnson, who died on the 29th of September: 1719, having no issue by her; and her Ladyship dying July 18, 1755, we now return to Margaret, daughter of John the second Lord Lovelace, who married Sir William Noel, as above-mentioned, and had issue, 1. Sir Thomas Noel, who married Anne, daughter of Sir William Whitlock, but died without issue; 2. Sir John Noel, who married Mary, daughter of Sir

Sir John Clobery, and had issue, 1. Sir Clobery, his successor; 2. William, Justice of the Court of Common-Pleas, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Trollop. And the said Martha, Baroness Wentworth, was succeeded by Edward Noel, son of Sir Clobery, by Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Roney, Esq. He married Judith, daughter of William Lamb, Esq. and by her Ladyship, who died in Jan. 1762, had issue Thomas, the present Viscount; Judith, married to Ralph Milbanke, Esq. Elizabeth, to James Burgefs, Esq. and Sophia, to the Hon. Mr. Curzons, son of Lord Scarsdale. His Lordship was created May 4, 1762, Viscount Wentworth, and deceasing in November, 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(2d V.) THOMAS, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron, December 2, 1529, Viscount, May 4, 1762.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, fretty, *gules*, a canton, *ermine*, for Noel; second, a chevron between three leopards faces, *or*, for Wentworth; third, *gules*, on a chief indented, *sable*, three martlets, *argent*, for Lovelace. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a buck at graze, *argent*, armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two gryphons, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Penfes a bien.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Kirkby Mallory in Leicestershire.

COURTENAY, VISCOUNT COURTENAY.

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM COURTENAY, Viscount COURTENAY, of Powderham-Castle in the county of Devon, and Baronet, born November 13, 1742, succeeded his father, the late Viscount, May 16, 1762. He married Miss Frances Clack, by whom he has issue, 1. Frances, born January 6, 1763. 2. Charlotte, born Feb. 14, 1764. 3. Isabella, born June 20, 1765. 4. Elizabeth, born Sept. 2, 1766.

This noble Lord is descended from Hugh Courtenay, who was created Earl of Devonshire by King Edward I. 1295. There have been of this family several Barons of Okehampton, twelve Earls of Devonshire, and a Marquis of Exeter.

Sir

Sir William Courtenay, grandfather of the present Viscount, married Lady Anne, daughter of James Earl of Abingdon, by whom he had issue, 1. William; and 2. James, both died young. 3. William, the late Viscount. 4. Henry-Reginald, who married Catharine, sister of the present Earl Bathurst, and left two sons, William and Henry-Reginald. 5. Peregrine. 6. Mary, who died young. 7. Anne-Sophia. 8. Eleanor. 9. Bridget. 10. Isabella. 11. Mary. 12. Elizabeth, died young.

(1st V.) Sir William Courtenay, was married to the Lady Frances Finch, daughter to the late² Earl of Aylesford, April 2, 1741, by whom he had issue, 1. William, the present Viscount. 2. Mary. 3. Frances. 4. Lucy. 5. Charlotte. He was created Viscount Courtenay, May 4, 1762, and deceasing May 16, 1762, was succeeded by his son,

(2d V.) THOMAS, the present Viscount.

CREATION.] Viscount, May 4, 1762.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, three torteaux; second and third, *or*, a lion rampant, *azure*. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] A dolphin naiant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two boars, *argent*, bristled, tusked, and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Ubi lapsus? quid feci?*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Powderham Castle, Devon.

WARD, VISCOUNT DUDLEY AND WARD.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WARD, Viscount DUDLEY and WARD, Baron Ward of Birmingham, born in 1724, succeeded his father, the late Viscount, in May 1774.

WILLIAM WARD, was Jeweller to King Charles the 1st's Queen, and having a very ample fortune, Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley, bestowed Frances, his granddaughter and heir, on Humble Ward, Esq. son and heir of the said William. She was the sole daughter of Sir Ferdinando Sutton, son of Edward Lord Dudley, before-mentioned; who dying June 23, 1643, the said Frances became Baroness Dudley, being descended from John de Sutton, who in the reign of King Edward II. married Margaret, eldest daughter of Roger de Someri, Baron of Dudley, sister and coheir of John de Someri, Baron of Dudley, who died the 15th of Edward II.

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(1st L.) Which Frances, Baroness Dudley, was with her husband Humble Ward, Esq. in Oxford, when her grandfather, Edward Lord Dudley, died; and he was, on March 23, 1643, advanced to the dignity of Baron Ward of Birmingham. He died Oct. 4, 1670, as did his wife, the Baroness of Dudley, in 1701. They had issue three sons;

(2d Ld W. and 1st Ld D. and W.) EDWARD, who on the death of his father, succeeded to the title of Lord Ward, and on the death of his mother in 1701, to that of Lord Dudley, died the 8th of August 1701. He married Frances, daughter of Sir William Brereton, by whom he had three sons and three daughters; of which sons, John the eldest, died unmarried; Ferdinando Dudley, died unmarried in 1718; Catharine was married to John Grey, Esq. Humbletta died young; Lettice was married to Thomas Porter, Esq.

WILLIAM, the second son, died in his father's lifetime, May, 1692. He married Frances, daughter of William Dilke, by whom he had three sons, Edward, John, who died an infant, and William; also a daughter Frances, married to William Lee, Esq.

(3d Ld W. and 2d Ld D. and W.) EDWARD, the eldest, succeeded his grandfather, 1701, and having married Diana, daughter of Thomas Howard, Esq. died on the 28th of March, 1704, in his minority, leaving his Lady, who died May 17, 1709, then big with child of

(4th Ld W. and 3d Ld D. and W.) EDWARD, Lord Dudley and Ward, who dying on the 6th of Sept. 1731, unmarried, his honours devolved on

(5th Ld W. and 4th Ld D. and W.) WILLIAM, his uncle, who also dying unmarried in May 1740, the Barony of Dudley devolved on the heir general, Ferdinando-Dudley Lea, and the title of Lord Ward, by virtue of the limitation to the heirs male, descended to John Ward, Esq. grandson of William Ward, Esq. third son of Humble, who was created Lord Ward, his second having died an infant.

Which WILLIAM died in January 1714, and by Anne, daughter of Thomas Parkes, left issue William his heir, and three daughters; Frances, married to Robert Pigot; Jane, to Daniel Jevon; and Rebecca, who died unmarried.

Their brother WILLIAM, died on the 25th of October, 1720. He married Mary, daughter of John Grey, Esq. by whom he left issue two sons and two daughters:

(6th L.W. 1st V.) JOHN, Viscount Dudley and Ward; William, deceased; Frances, married to George Rook, Esq. and Anna, unmarried. He married Anna-Maria, daughter of Charles Bouchier, Esq. by whom he had one son John, the present Viscount; and she dying on the 12th of Dec. 1725, he married, on the 1st of Jan. 1745, to his second wife, Mary, daughter of John Carver, Esq. by whom he had William, born Jan. 21, 1750. On April 23, 1763, he was created Viscount Dudley and Ward; and dying in May 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(2d V.) JOHN, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron Ward, March 23, 1644, and Viscount Dudley and Ward, April 23, 1763.

ARMS.] Chequée, *or* and *azure*, a bend, *ermine*. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a lion's head, *azure*.

SUPPORTES.] Two angels, haired and wing'd, *or*, their under robes *sanguine*, and their uppermost *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Comme je fus.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Dudley-Castle, Himley-Hall, and Sedgeley-park, Staffordshire.

MAYNARD, VISCOUNT MAYNARD.

THE Right Honourable CHARLES MAYNARD, Viscount MAYNARD of Estaynes Parva, and Baron Maynard of Much-Easton, and Baronet, was born Aug. 9, 1752, and succeeded his father William, in his Baronetage, in 1773, and upon the death of the late Visc. June 28, 1775, succeeded as Viscount and Baron Maynard. His Lordship married, June 12, 1776, Mrs. Horton.

John Maynard of Axminster in the county of Devon, in the reign of Edward III. served the Black Prince in the wars against France; and from him descended Nicholas Maynard, who died the 10th of Henry VIII.

He married Margaret, daughter to John Ellis, by whom he had John his heir, who married first Margaret, daughter

daughter to Ralph Powlet, Esq. by whom he had a son Ralph. He married to his second wife Anne, daughter to Robert Perrot, Esq. and widow of John Bridge, Esq. by whom he had Sir Henry, who married Susan, daughter to Thomas Pearson, Esq. and by her had eight sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir Edward Bayntun, and Mary died unmarried: Of the sons, Sir John the second, married Mary, daughter of Sir John Middleton; Charles, the third son of Sir Henry, married Mary, daughter of Zeger Corfellis of London, merchant; by whom he among other children, had Sir William Maynard, Bart, so created the 33d of Charles II.

(1st L.) And WILLIAM, the eldest son of Sir Henry, succeeding his father, was created a Baronet and Baron of Wicklow; and was also created Lord Maynard of Estaines in England. He married first the Lady Frances, daughter to William Earl of Devonshire, by whom he had no surviving issue; secondly Anne, daughter to Sir Anthony Everard, by whom he had William, his heir, and five daughters, Susan, Jane, Anne, Elizabeth, and Mary; of whom, the latter was married to Sir Ralph Bovey; Elizabeth, to John Wroth, Esq. and Anne, to Sir Henry Wroth; Jane, married to Edward Eyre, Esq. but the eldest died unmarried: And

(2d L.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, was married first to Dorothy, daughter to Sir Robert Banaster, by whom he had two sons; secondly, the Lady Margaret Murray, daughter to James Earl of Dysart, by whom he had a son Henry, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Thomas Brograve. Of the sons by his first wife, which were Banaster, his heir, and William, the latter married first Jane, daughter to Sir John Prescott, by whom he had no issue; but by his second wife, who was Susan, daughter to Thomas Evans, Esq. he had two sons, Thomas and Prescott, and a daughter Anne.

(3d Ld.) BANASTER, who succeeded his father, married the Lady Elizabeth, only daughter to Henry Earl of Kent, and by her had eight sons, and three daughters, and died on the 2d of March, 1718.

Of the daughters, who were Amabella, Dorothy, and Elizabeth; the second was married to Sir Robert Haslrigge; and the eldest to Sir William Lowther.

And of the sons, which were William, Banaster, Henry, Banaster, Anthony, Robert, Grey, and Charles,

William, the eldest, dying on the 7th of March, 1717, in the fiftieth year of his age, and Banaster, the second, dying young,

(4th Ld.) HENRY, the third, succeeded his father, as Lord Maynard. He dying unmarried in December 1742, was succeeded by his next surviving brother,

(5th Ld.) GREY, who also dying unmarried in April 1745, was succeeded by his only surviving brother,

(6th Ld. 1st V.) CHARLES, who was advanced to the dignity of Baron of Much-Easton, and Viscount Maynard, with limitation, in failure of issue, to Sir William Maynard, Bart. and his heirs, Oct. 18, 1766.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron, *azure*, between three sinister hands erect, couped at the wrist, *gules*. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a stag trippant, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a stag, *proper*. On the sinister, a talbot, *argent*, pyed, *sable*, and gorged with a plain collar, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Manus justa nardus*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Easton Parva in Essex, and Hoxne, hall in Suffolk.

HAMPDEN-TREVOR, VISCOUNT HAMPDEN.

THE Right Hon. ROBERT HAMPDEN TREVOR, Viscount HAMPDEN, Lord TREVOR of Bromham, succeeded his brother John, Sept. 27, 1764, as Lord Trevor, and was advanced to the dignity of Viscount Hampden, June 8, 1776. He married, in 1743, Constantia, daughter of Peter Anthony De Huybert, Lord of Kruningen in Holland, by which Lady, who died June 15, 1761, he had issue,

1. Thomas, born September 11, 1746, married in June 1768, ———, daughter of General David Græme.
2. John, born Feb. 24, 1749, and married July 18, 1773, to Miss Harriet Burton, only daughter of Dr. Burton, Canon of Christ Church.
3. Maria-Constantia, married to Henry Earl of Suffolk, and died Feb. 8, 1767.
4. Anne, who died in 1760, unmarried.

His Lordship being heir of John Hampden, Esq. took the name of Hampden in 1754.

JOHN

JOHN Trevor was seated at Brynkinalte in the county of Denbigh, and died 1495. He was the ancestor of

Sir JOHN Trevor, who married Margaret, daughter to Hugh Trevanion, and by her had four sons and three daughters; whereof Anne, the eldest, was married to Colonel Robert Weldon; Jane was married to Sir Francis Compton; and Elizabeth to William Mafham, Esq.

The sons were Sir John, Charles, William, and Richard, the latter was Doctor of Physick, and died in 1676; and Sir John died on the 28th of May, 1672, leaving issue by Ruth, daughter to John Hampden, of Hampden, in the county of Bucks, Esq. five sons, John, heir to his grandfather; Thomas, created Lord Trevor; Richard, Hampden, and Edward.

JOHN married Elizabeth, daughter to — Clerk, Esq. and widow of — Morley, of Glynd in Suffex, Esq. and by her had two sons and two daughters; Elizabeth married to David Polhill, Esq. and Arabella, who was first married to Robert Heath, Esq. and secondly to Colonel Edward Montagu; and

Of the sons, who were John-Morley Trevor, and Thomas; the eldest dying in April 1719, was succeeded by his son, John-Morley Trevor, who died in 1743.

(1st Ld.) THOMAS, second son of Sir John Trevor and Ruth Hampden, on the 31st of December, 1711, was created Lord Trevor of Bromham; but died on the 19th of June, 1726.

He married first Elizabeth, daughter to Colonel John Searle, by whom he had two sons, Thomas and John, who both succeeded him, and three daughters; and by his second wife, who was Anne, daughter to Colonel Robert Weldon of London, widow of Sir Robert Bernard, Bart. he had three sons; Robert, who took the surname of Hampden, and is now Viscount Hampden; Richard, late Bishop of Durham; and Edward, who died young.

Of the daughters by the first wife, which were Anne, Letitia, and Elizabeth; the second married Peter Cock, Esq. And of the sons,

(2d Ld.) THOMAS, the eldest, who succeeded his father, marrying Elizabeth, only daughter and heir to Timothy Burrel, by her, who died in August 1734, left one daughter Elizabeth, married to Charles the 2d

Duke of Marlborough; and his Lordship dying March 22, 1753, was succeeded by his brother,

(3d Ld.) JOHN, who on the 31st of May, 1731, married Elizabeth, daughter of that celebrated Author Sir Richard Steele, by whom he left issue an only daughter Diana; and he dying on September 27, 1764, was succeeded by

(4th Ld.) ROBERT, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron Trevor, Dec. 31, 1711, Viscount Hampden, June 8, 1766.

ARMS.] Party-per-bend, sinister, *ermine* and *ermineois*, a lion rampant, *or*, for Trevor; he also quarters, *argent*, a saltire, *gules*, between four eagles displayed, *azure*, for Hampden. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] On a chepeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a wyvern rising, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wyverns regardant, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Vestigia nulla retrorsum*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Bromham, in Bedfordshire; Great Hampden, in Bucks; and St. Ann's-hill, near Chertsey, in Surry.

BARONS OF ENGLAND.

DASHWOOD, LORD LE DESPENCER.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS DASHWOOD, Lord LE DESPENCER, and Baronet, succeeded to the Barony on the death of John Earl of Westmoreland, being the only son of Lady Mary, eldest sister of the said Earl, and the same was confirmed to him April 19, 1763; he married Sarah, daughter of Thomas Gould, of Ivor, in Bucks, Esq. and widow of Sir Richard Ellis, Bart.

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The family of Dashwood was originally of Dorsetshire, from whence they removed into Somersetshire. Samuel Dashwood, of Rowney, near Taunton, Esq. had two wives; by the first he had four sons, viz. John; Francis, of whom hereafter; Richard; and William. By his 2d wife he had issue George

Francis, second son of the aforesaid Samuel, was a Turkey merchant, and Alderman of London, he died in 1683, having married Alice, sister of — Sleigh, Esq. Alderman, by whom he had issue three sons, 1. Sir Samuel Dashwood, Knt. Alderman, and some time Lord Mayor of London, who married Anne, daughter of John Smith, Esq. by whom he had George, Thomas, Elizabeth, married to Andrew Archer, Esq. Sarah to Richard Cowley, Esq. Jane, Anabella, Henrietta, and Sophia. 2. Thomas, married to Penelope, daughter of — Hillersdon, Esq. and left issue; and 3. Sir Francis, created a Baronet in the 6th of Queen Anne; also four daughters; Elizabeth married to Thomas Lewes, Esq. Alderman of London; Mary to John Coppin, Esq. Martha to William Roberts, Esq. and Sarah, to Fulk Greville, Lord Brooke.— Which Sir Francis Dashwood, aforementioned, married four wives; first Mary, only daughter of John Jennings, by whom he had issue two daughters, 1st, Mary, wife of Sir Fulwar Skipwith; and Susanna, married to Sir Orlando Bridgman. His second wife was Lady Mary, daughter of Vere, fourth Earl of Westmoreland, by whom he had Francis now Lord Le Despencer, and one daughter, Rachel, married in Nov. 1738, to Sir Robert Austin. Her Ladyship died August 19, 1710. Sir Francis's third wife was Mary, daughter of Major King, by whom he had two sons, John and Charles, and a daughter Mary, married to John Walcot, Esq. His fourth wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Earl of Plymouth, by whom he had no issue. He was succeeded by his eldest son, (2d Baronet, 1st Ld.) FRANCIS, now Lord Le Despencer.

CREATIONS.] Baron, May 25, 1604, but originally June 3, 1295.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a fess double cottised, *gules*, three gryphons heads erased, *or*. [Plate XXIV.]

CREST.] A gryphon's head, *ermine*, erased, *gules*,

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon wings elevated, *or*, collared with a line reflexed over the back,

back, *sable*, the collar charged with three escallops, *argent*. On the finister, a bull, *argent*, pyed, *sable*, armed, hoofed and collared, with a chain reflexed over his back, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Pro Magna Charta.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At West-Wycomb, in Bucks; and Mereworth, in Kent.

SOUTHWELL CLIFFORD, BARON CLIFFORD.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD SOUTHWELL CLIFFORD, Baron CLIFFORD, Westmoreland and Vesey, succeeded his father, Nov. 1, 1777.

This family took its name from Clifford-castle, in Herefordshire, which came in marriage to Walter Fitz-Ponce. He had three sons; 1. Simon; 2. Walter, who resided at Clifford-castle, and took the surname of Clifford; and 3. Richard.

(1st L.) WALTER, had five sons, Walter, Richard, Roger, Simon, and Hugh, and two daughters, Rosamond, concubine of Henry II. by whom he had William Longspee, Earl of Salisbury and other children. 2. Lucy (by some called Alice) married to Hugh, Lord Say. Roger, Simon and Hugh, died without issue; Richard was Lord of Frampton.

(2d L.) WALTER, who succeeded his father, married Agnes, daughter to Roger de Cundy, by whom he had five sons, and was succeeded by

(3d L.) WALTER, his eldest son, who, by Margaret, daughter to Llewelyn Prince of Wales, he had Maud, his only daughter and heir, who was married first to William Longspee, third son of William Earl of Salisbury, and secondly to Sir John Gifford of Brimfield.

(4th L.) We come now to ROGER, his brother, who married the Countess of Lorrain, by whom he had a son, Roger, who, 11th of Edw. I. was slain in a skirmish near Anglesea. He married Isabel, one of the daughters of Robert de Vipont: They had an only son,

(5th L.) ROGER, who was slain in Bannock's-bourn, June 25, 1314. He married Maud, daughter to Thomas de Clare, son of Richard Earl of Gloucester, who by him had

had two sons, and a daughter, Idonia, married to Henry Lord Percy. Of the sons,

(6th L.) ROGER, the eldest, dying unmarried; was succeeded by

(7th L.) ROBERT, who married Isabel, only daughter to Maurice Berkeley, Lord of Berkeley Castle, by whom he had three sons, Robert, Roger, and Thomas; and she bequeathed a Mansion in St. Dunstan's parish, Fleet-street, to the students at law, and which is still called Clifford's-Inn.

(8th L.) ROBERT, the eldest brother, succeeded his father. He married Eufemia, sister to Ralph Nevile, the first Earl of Westmoreland, and dying without issue,

(9th L.) ROGER, his brother, succeeded: He died July 13, 1390, leaving issue by Maud, daughter to Thomas, Earl of Warwick, Thomas, his son and heir, and Mary, married to Sir Philip Wentworth.

(10th L.) THOMAS, succeeding, married Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Lord Roos, by whom he left issue

(11th L.) JOHN, who succeeded his father, Sir William, who died without issue; and Sir Lewis, from whom descended the Lord Clifford of Chudleigh, and a daughter Maud, second wife of Richard Earl of Cambridge, and afterwards wife of John Nevil, Lord Latimer. John Lord Clifford was slain at the siege of Maux. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Henry Percy, commonly called Hotspur, by whom he had Thomas, his heir, born in 1415; Henry, who died without issue; and Mary, married to Sir Philip Wentworth.

(12th L.) THOMAS, taking part with Hen. VI. was slain at the battle of St. Alban's, May 22, 1454. He married Joan, daughter of Thomas Lord Daeres of Gillesland, and had issue by her, John, his heir, born the 8th of April, 13th Hen. VI. Roger, Robert, Thomas, Elizabeth, Maud, Anne, Joan, married to Sir Simon Musgrave, and Margaret, married to Robert Carre.

(13th L.) JOHN, succeeded his father, and was slain, March 29, 1461, at the battle of Towton; leaving by Margaret Bromfiote, daughter and sole heir of Henry Lord Bromfiote, Baron Vescy, Henry, his son and heir, Richard, and Elizabeth.

(14th L.) HENRY, succeeded his father as Lord Clifford; and his mother being by birth Baroness Vescy, brought

brought the title of Baron Vescy to the Cliffords, and was restored in blood, in the first Parliament of Hen. VII. and to all his Baronies, &c. his father having been attainted in the 1st of Edward IV. He married Anne, daughter to Sir John St. John of Bletsho. He had by her three sons and four daughters; 1. Henry, born in 1493; 2. Thomas; 3. Edward; 4. Mabel; 5. Eleanor; 6. Anne; 7. Joan. He married secondly, Florence, daughter of ——— Pudsey, and by her had two sons, who died young, and one daughter, Dorothy, married to Sir Hugh Lowther.

(15th L. and 1st E.) HENRY succeeded his father as Lord Clifford in 1525, and on the 18th of June, the same year, was created Earl of Cumberland: He married first Margaret, daughter of George Earl of Shrewsbury, who died without issue; 2dly Margaret Percy, daughter of Henry, 5th Earl of Northumberland. He was in great favour with Hen. VIII. who recommended Henry Lord Clifford, the Earl's eldest son, to the Lady Eleanor, his cousin, daughter of Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk: Her mother was Mary, the French Queen, second daughter of King Henry VII. The Earl died the 22d of April, 1542, leaving a daughter Catharine, married first to John Lord Scrope; secondly to Sir Richard Cholmondeley; and

(16th L. and 2d E.) HENRY, his heir: His Lady died in Nov. 1547; her issue male dying in their infancy, she left one only daughter, the Lady Margaret, afterwards Countess of Derby. He married, secondly, Anne, daughter of William Lord Dacres of Gilleland, by whom he had George Clifford, Earl of Cumberland, and Lady Frances, married to Philip Lord Wharton.

(17th L. and 3d E.) GEORGE, their brother, succeeding his father, who died Jan. 8, 1659, married Lady Margaret, third and youngest daughter of Francis Earl of Bedford, on the 24th of June, 1577. By this Lady he had two sons, who both died young, and a daughter Anne, his sole heir to the Baronies of Clifford, Westmoreland, and Vescy; afterwards Countess of Dorset and Pembroke; and dying Oct. 30, 1605,

(18th L. and 4th E.) FRANCIS, his brother became the 4th Earl of Cumberland: He married Grifold, daughter of Thomas Hughs, Esq. widow of Edward Lord Abergavenny, who died June 6, 1613, and left issue,

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(19th L. and 5th E.) HENRY Earl of Cumberland; Margaret, who was married to Sir Thomas Wentworth, and Frances, second wife of Sir Gervase Clifton. He died Dec. 11, 1641: To whom succeeded

(20th L. and 6th E.) HENRY, his only son, who in 1610, married Lady Frances Cecil, only daughter to Robert Earl of Salisbury, by whom he left issue an only daughter Elizabeth, his heir, born Sept. 1613, married July 5, 1635, to Richard Lord Viscount Dungarvon, son to Richard Earl of Cork, in Ireland, who succeeded his father in the dignity of Earl of Cork, and 20 Car. I. was created Lord Clifford of Lanesborough. The title of Earl of Cumberland became extinct by the death of Henry above-mentioned; but the Baronies of Clifford, Westmoreland, and Vescy, descended to the Lady Anne, sole daughter and heir of George Earl of Cumberland. 21. L.

This noble Lady was born January 30, 1589, and married February 25, 1689, to Richard Earl of Dorset; He died March 28, 1624, and had issue three sons, who died infants, and two daughters; Lady Margaret, born July 2, 1614, married April 21, 1629, to John Tufton, Earl of Thanet; and Lady Isabella, born Oct. 6, 1622, married July 5, 1647, to James Compton, Earl of Northampton.

Her Ladyship married, secondly, on the 3d of July 1630, Philip Herbert, Earl of Pembroke, who died Jan. 23, 1650, without issue by her. On her decease, the Baronies of Clifford, Westmoreland, and Vescy, devolved (no issue remaining from Isabella, her youngest sister) on her grandson Thomas, Earl of Thanet, who left no male issue, and the Barony of Clifford, &c. fell into obedience amongst his five daughters; 1. Lady Catharine, married to Viscount Sondes, by whom she had one daughter Catharine, married to Edward Southwell, Esq. and left a son Edward. 2. Lady Margaret, married to James Earl of Salisbury. 3. Lady Margaret, married to Thomas, Earl of Leicester. 4. Lady Mary, married first to Anthony Earl of Harold, and secondly to John Earl Gower. 5. Lady Isabella, married first to Lord Nassau Powlett, and secondly to Sir Francis Blake Delaval. Ann

And on August 13, 1734, the Barony of Clifford, &c. was confirmed to the Lady Margaret, and her Ladyship had one only son, Edward Viscount Coke, who died in 1753; and upon the death of her Ladyship without issue, 23. L. 3d daughter

24^L. issue, Feb. 26, 1775, the Barony of Clifford was confirmed on Edward Southwell, grandson of her eldest sister.

His Lordship married Sophia, third daughter of Samuel Campbell, of Mount Campbell, in the county of Letrim, in Ireland, by whom he had Edward, Robert, Thomas, and George, and four daughters. And his Lordship deceasing, on November 1, 1777, was succeeded by his son

EDWARD, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament as Baron de Clifford, by writ, 25 Ed. I.

ARMS.] Those of the late Baroneſs, Plate 35, and sometimes quartered with the arms of Southwell, viz. *Argent*, three cinquefoils, *gules*, each charged with six annulets, *or*, the same as Lord Viscount Southwell, in Plate 20, of the Peerage of Ireland.

CREST.] A demy Indian goat, *argent*, charged on the body with three annulets, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a Wyvern, *gules*; the sinister, a monkey, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Le Roy, le veut*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Kingſweſton, in Gloucestershire.

NEVILLE, LORD ABERGAVENNY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE NEVILLE, Lord ABERGAVENNY, born June 24, 1727, succeeded his father William, late Lord Abergavenny, September 21, 1744.

His Lordship married, February 5, 1753, Henrietta, daughter of Thomas Pelham, late of Stanmer in the county of Sussex, Esq. and widow of the Hon. Richard Temple, by which Lady, who died in August, 1768, he had issue, Henry, born Feb. 1755. 2. George, born Sept. 1760. 3. Henrietta, born May, 1756. 4. A daughter, born Sept. 1760.

Of this ancient family, which is said to derive their descent from Gilbert de Nevel, a Norman, who was Admiral to William the Conqueror, when he came into
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into England, was Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland, whose fourth son,

(1st Ld.) EDWARD, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Worcester, son of William Beauchamp, Lord Abergavenny, by her, in the 29th of Henry VI. obtained livery of the Castle of Abergavenny, and had summons to Parliament as above: He married secondly, Catharine, daughter of Sir Robert Howard. By this Lady he had three daughters; Margaret, married to John Brook Lord Cobham; Catharine, to Robert Tanfield; and Anne, to the Lord Strange; also three sons, who died young. By Elizabeth, his first wife, he had two sons; Richard, who died in his father's lifetime; and

(2d Ld.) Sir GEORGE, his heir, who by Margaret, daughter of Sir Hugh Fenne, had five sons and two daughters; of which, Elizabeth, the eldest, married to Sir Edward Berkeley, and Jane to Sir Henry Pole, Lord Montacute; the sons were George, William, Edward, Thomas, and Richard.

(3d Ld.) GEORGE, the eldest, succeeded his father: He married first Joan, daughter to Thomas Earl of Arundel, by whom he had an only daughter Elizabeth, married to Henry Lord d'Aubigni; but by his second wife, Mary, daughter to Edward Duke of Buckingham, he had two sons and six daughters; Mary married to Sir Thomas Fiennes; Catharine married to John St. Leger, Esq. Margaret, to John Cheney, Esq. Ursula, to Sir Warham St. Leger; Dorothy, to William Brook, son of George Lord Cobham; and Jane, to Sir Henry Pole. And of the sons, which were,

(4th Ld.) HENRY and Edward, the eldest succeeded his father. He married Frances, daughter to Thomas Earl of Rutland, and dying in 1587, left an only daughter Mary, wife of Sir Thomas Fane. We now return to

EDWARD, her father's brother, who married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Andrews Windsor, and widow of Ralph Lord Scroop of Upsal, by whom he had two sons; Edward and Henry of Billingbear in Berks, from whom the Nevils of that county are descended; also three daughters; Frances, wife of Sir Edward Waldegrave; Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Haines, Esq. and Catharine, of Clement Throckmorton, Esq.

Son of Edw. Earl of
 (5th Ld.) EDWARD, the eldest, who was next heir male of this line, and in whom the Castle of Abergavenny was vested, likewise laying claim to the title, it was on the 25th of May 1603, determined by the House of Peers in his favour; whereupon the King, to make some satisfaction to the heir female, granted the Barony of Le Despencer, to her and her heirs, from whom are descended the Earls of Westmoreland. He married first Catharine, daughter to Sir John Brown, by whom he had four sons.

(6th Ld.) EDWARD, Francis, George, and Henry.

His second wife was Grisfold, daughter of Thomas Hughs, Esq. who brought him no issue, and surviving him, married Francis Clifford Earl of Cumberland.

Of the children by the first wife, the eldest, succeeding, married Rachel, daughter to John Lennard, Esq. and by her had six sons and five daughters: Of the daughters, which were Elizabeth, Mary, Catharine, Frances, and Margaret, the eldest was first married to John, Lord Grey of Groby, and secondly to Sir John Bingley; Mary, to Sir George Goring, Kt. afterwards Earl of Norwich; and Catharine, to Sir Stephen Lessieur: and of the sons, which were,

(7th Ld.) Sir HENRY, Edward, *φ* Christopher, *φ* John, Thomas, and Charles; the eldest in 1622, succeeded his father: He married first Mary, daughter to Thomas Sackville the first Earl of Dorset, by whom he had Sir Thomas Neville, and five daughters; and by his second wife, who was Catharine, daughter to Edward Lord Vaux, he had two sons and three daughters; Catharine, Frances, and Elizabeth; whereof, the latter was married to Thomas Stoner, Esq. and the eldest, first to Sir Robert Howard, and afterwards to Robert Berry, Esq.

Of the daughters by the first wife, which were Margaret, Cicely, Elizabeth, Mary, and Anne, the eldest was married to Thomas Brooke, Esq. the second to Fitz-William Coningsby, Esq. and Anne was Abbess of Pontoise in France; and Sir Thomas, their brother, having married Elizabeth, daughter to Henry Lord Mordaunt, by her had issue, Henry, who died in his infancy, 1629, and Charles, who died in 1637; and Henry, their grandfather, dying in Dec. 1641, we come to his sons, by his second wife, which were John his heir, and George.

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(8th Ld.) JOHN, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter to William Chamberlain, Esq. but he dying in 1660, without issue, the honour devolved upon

(9th Ld.) GEORGE, his brother; who marrying Mary, daughter to Thomas, son and heir of Henry Giffard, by her had George, his son and heir, and a daughter, Bridget, married to Sir John Shelley.

(10th Ld.) GEORGE, who succeeded, marrying Honora, daughter to John Lord Bellafise, and dying March 26, 1695, without issue, we return to Christopher, third son of Edward the 6th Lord, by Rachel Lennard, who married Mary, daughter of Thomas D'Arcy, and left issue Richard his heir, who by Sophia, his wife, had issue George; he married Mary, daughter of Sir Bulstrode Whitlocke, by whom he left issue,

(11th Ld.) GEORGE, who succeeded to the title, and Edward; of which, the former married Anne, daughter to Nehemia Walker, Esq. by whom he had three sons and two daughters; of which, Jane was married to Abel Walter, Esq. and Anne died unmarried: Of the sons, which were Henry, George, and Edward, the eldest died young; and his Lordship dying,

(12th Ld.) GEORGE, the second, succeeded, and married Elizabeth, daughter to Colonel Edward Thornicroft, but he dying on the 15th of November 1723, without surviving issue, was succeeded by Edward, his brother; and she in June, 1744, married the Lord Delawar.

(13th Ld.) EDWARD, who thus became heir, married Catharine, daughter to Lieutenant General Tatton: But he dying on the 9th of October 1724, without issue, we return to Edward, brother to George the 11th Lord, who died September 12, 1701, leaving issue by Hannah, daughter of Mr. Jarvois Thorp, a daughter Mary, married to Charles Chamberlain, Esq. and

(14th Ld.) WILLIAM: He married in May, 1725, Catharine Lady Abergavenny, widow of Edward the late Lord; and by her who died on the 4th of December, 1728, had issue a son, George, and a daughter Catharina.

On the 20th of May, 1732, his Lordship married to his second wife Rebecca, daughter to Thomas the eighth Earl of Pembroke; by which Lady, who married secondly

Mr.

Mr. Finch, and died October 20, 1758, he had issue, 1. Harriot, born Nov. 17, 1734. 2. Mary, born June 13, 1736, and died August 2, 1758. 3. Sophia, born March 14, 1738, and died Jan. 3, 1759. 4. William, born in Oct. 1741. His Lordship dying Sept. 21, 1744, was succeeded by his son,

(15th Ld.) GEORGE, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron, June 23, 1295.

ARMS.] *Gules, on a saltire, argent, a rose of the first, barbed and seeded, proper.* [Plate XXVI.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a bull's head, *argent*; *pyed, sable*, armed of the *first*, and charged on the neck with a rose, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two bulls, *argent*, *pyed, sable*, armed, unguled, collared and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Ne vile velis.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At the castle of Abergavenny, in Monmouthshire; and Eridge, and Kidbrooke-Hall, in Suffex.

TOUCHET, LORD AUDLEY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE THICKNESSE TOUCHET, Baron Audley, succeeded his uncle John, the late Earl of Castlehaven, who died April 22, 1777, as Baron Audley. It being one of the ancient Baronies in fee.

For an account of this family see Earl of Castlehaven, in the peerage of Ireland.

N. B. *The arms are the same as those of his uncle, with the difference of a Baron's coronet, instead of an Earls. Plate X. in the peerage of Ireland.*

PERCY, LORD PERCY.

THE Right Hon. HUGH PERCY, Baron PERCY, Lucy, Poynings, Fitz-Pain, Brian, and Latimer, commonly stiled Earl Percy, being eldest son of the Duke of Northumberland, was born Aug. 14, 1742, and succeeded to these Baronies, on the death of his mother Dec. 5, 1776. He married July 2, 1764, Lady Anne, daughter of the Earl of Bute.

Cambden says, that this family of Percy, which is descended from the Earls of Brabant, inherited, together with the surnames of Percy, the possessions also of Percy, ever since that Josceline of Louvain, youngest son of Godfrey Duke of Brabant, took to wife Agnes, the daughter and sole heir of William Percy. Between this Agnes and Josceline it was covenanted, that he should assume the name of Percy, and retain the ancient arms of Brabant, (which the Brabanters afterwards changed) viz. A lion, *azure*, in a shield, *or*.

HENRY Lord Percy, in the 20th of Ed. III. married first Mary, daughter of Henry Earl of Lancaster, second son of King Henry III. by Blanch, his wife, daughter of Robert Earl of Artois, brother of St. Lewis, King of France, and widow of Henry King of Navarre; by which marriage he had issue two sons, Henry and Thomas. He died 42 Ed. III. His two sons became very eminent: Henry, the eldest, was created Earl of Northumberland; and Thomas, the youngest, Earl of Worcester.

(1st E.) HENRY, his eldest brother, on July 16, 1377, was advanced to the dignity of Earl of Northumberland. He married first Margaret, daughter to Ralph Lord Nevil, secondly Maud, sister and heir to Anthony Lord Lucy: He joined with her in settling the castle and honour of Cockermouth, with a large proportion besides of her great inheritance, upon the heirs male of their bodies; and in case she should die without issue, then to Henry Lord Percy, his son and heir, by his first wife, and to the heirs male of his body, upon condition that he the said Henry, and the heirs male of his body, should bear the arms of Percy, viz. *Or, a lion rampant. azure*, quarterly with the arms of Lucy, viz. *Gules, three Lucies, argent*, in all shields, banners, ensigns, and coats of arms whatever; and in failure of male issue, then to Sir Thomas Percy,

brother to the Earl, and uncle to Henry, and the heirs male of his body; in failure of which, then to Sir Thomas Percy, 2d son of the Earl, with remainder to Sir Ralph Percy, third son of the Earl, and the heirs male of his body; which agreement was made in the presence of the King, and by his special command. By his last wife he had no issue; but by his first, the three sons above mentioned; of which, Sir Thomas married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of David Earl of Athol, and by her had one son Sir Henry Percy, who left issue two daughters, his heirs, viz. Elizabeth, married to Thomas Burgh, Esq. and afterwards to Sir William Lucy, Kt. and Margaret, first to Henry Lord Grey, of Codnoure, and secondly to Sir Richard Vere. Sir Ralph died without issue.

HENRY, Lord Percy, the eldest son, by Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Edmund Mortimer, Earl of March, left one son Henry, and a daughter Elizabeth, married first to John Lord Clifford, and afterwards to Ralph Nevil, the second Earl of Westmoreland.

(2d E.) HENRY, left issue by Eleanor, daughter of Ralph Earl of Westmoreland, and widow of Richard Lord Spencer, nine sons and two daughters; 1. Henry, who succeeded him; 2. John, who died in his infancy; 3. Sir Thomas, created Lord Egremont, 28 Hen. VI. who died July 10, 1463, unmarried; and the title became extinct; 4. Sir Ralph died unmarried; and John and Henry, 5th and 6th sons, died young; 7. William was Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, and Bishop of Carlisle; 8. Sir Richard, married Catharine, daughter to Sir Humphry Nevil, widow of William Fairfax, Esq. and 9. George was a Prebendary in the Collegiate Church of Beverley: The daughters were Catharine, wife of Edmund Grey, Earl of Kent; and Anne, married first to Sir Thomas Hungerford, Kt. and secondly to Sir Hugh Vaughan, Kt.

(3d E.) HENRY, the eldest son, married Eleanor, daughter of Richard Poynings, who died in the life-time of his father, Robert Lord Poynings, whose heir she also was; as also to Lords Fitz-Pain, and Brian, and had summons to Parliament as Lord Poynings, during his father's life-time. He was slain in the battle of Towton, fighting for King Hen. VI. and King Edward IV. conferred his Earldom on John Nevil, Lord Montagu, brother to Richard Earl of Warwick and Salisbury. He had by Eleanor his wife, Henry, his heir, and three daughters; Elizabeth,

Elizabeth, married to Henry Lord Scrope ; Eleanor, to Reginald West, Lord Delawar ; and Margaret to Sir William Gascoigne ; and their daughter Anne, became the wife of Sir Thomas Fairfax.

(4th E.) HENRY, being in his minority when his father was slain, in the 12th of Edward IV. was restored in blood to the Earldom of Northumberland. He married Maud, daughter to William Herbert, the first Earl of Pembroke of that name, by whom he left four sons and three daughters ; Eleanor, wife of Edward Strafford, Duke of Buckingham ; Anne, wife to William Fitz-Allen, Earl of Arundel ; and Elizabeth who died young : His sons were Henry, his successor, Sir William, Allan, and Josceline.

(5th E.) HENRY, the eldest, married Catharine, daughter of Sir Robert Spencer : By which Lady he had three sons ; Henry, his successor ; Sir Thomas Percy, who was executed at Tyburn, 29 Hen. VIII. he married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Guischarde Harbottle ; Sir Ingelram Percy died without issue.

(6th E.) HENRY, married Mary, fourth daughter to George the fourth Earl of Shrewsbury ; but died without issue, June 29, 29 Hen. VIII. his younger brother, Sir Thomas Percy, having been attainted, the title of Earl of Northumberland lay dormant, till Queen Mary restored it to

(7th E.) THOMAS Percy, son of the said Sir Thomas, who, on the 30th of April, in the 3d and 4th of Philip and Mary, was advanced to the degree of a Baron, by the title of Lord Percy, and the day following to the dignity of Earl of Northumberland. But joining with others in behalf of Mary Queen of Scots, he was beheaded at York, August 22, 1572. He married Anne, daughter to Henry Somerset, the second Earl of Worcester, by whom he had issue one son, Thomas, who died young, and five daughters : Elizabeth, the wife of Richard Wodrove, Esq. Mary, of Sir Thomas Grey ; Lucy, of Sir Edward Stanley ; Jane, of Lord Henry Seymour, brother to Edward Earl of Hertford ; and Mary, Prioress of the English Nunnery at Brussels.

(8th E.) Sir HENRY Percy, the Earl's younger brother, was by intail made by Queen Mary, summoned to Parliament as Earl of Northumberland and Baron Percy, the 18th of Elizabeth. He married Catharine, daughter of

He was imprisoned in the Tower for a plot to rescue Mary 2^d of Scots

John Nevil, Lord Latimer, by whom he had issue eight sons; 1. Henry, his successor; 2. and 3. Thomas and William, who died unmarried; 4. Sir Charles, who married Dorothy, daughter of Richard Cox, Esq. 5. Sir Richard Percy; 6. Allen Percy, who married the daughter of Sir John Fitz, but died without issue; 7. Sir Josceline; 8. George, who died unmarried: Also three daughters, Anne, who died in her infancy; Lucy, wife first of Sir John Wotton, and afterwards of Sir Hugh Owen; and Eleanor, who was married to William Herbert, created Lord Powis. *he was found dead in his bed the Tower being shot with bullets his son*

(9th E.) HENRY, the eldest son, was by the Star-Chamber, convicted of Misprision, &c. and adjudged to pay a fine of 30,000l. and to remain prisoner in the Tower during life. On the 18th of July, 1621, he was discharged from the Tower, having lain there more than fifteen years. In the fourth year of King Charles I. he obtained to himself and heirs the Barony of Percy, in such manner as his ancestors had enjoyed the same, also his place and precedence. His Lordship married Dorothy, daughter of Walter Devereux, Viscount Hereford, created Earl of Essex, widow of Sir Thomas Perrot, Kt. by which Lady he had issue four sons and two daughters; Dorothy, born 1598, married to Robert second Earl of Leicester; and Lucy, married to James Hay, Earl of Carlisle. The sons were Henry, and another Henry, who died in their infancy; Algernon, his successor, and another Henry, who was created at Oxford Lord Percy of Alnwick, June 28, 1643. He died unmarried.

(10th L.) ALGERNON, was called by writ to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord Percy, and in 1632, succeeded his father as Earl. His Lordship married first Anne, daughter of William Cecil, Earl of Salisbury, (which Lady died Dec. 6, 1637) by whom he had four daughters; Catharine and Dorothy, who died young; Anne, who was married to Philip Stanhope the second Earl of Chesterfield; and Elizabeth, to Arthur the first Earl of Essex. He married secondly Elizabeth, daughter to Theophilus the second Earl of Suffolk, and by her, who survived him, had issue Josceline, his only son and successor: also a daughter, who died in her infancy. His Lordship, dying October 13, 1668, was succeeded by his only son,

(11th E.) JOSCELINE, the 11th Earl of Northumberland, who was designed by his father to marry the Lady Audry, eldest daughter to Thomas Earl of Southampton; but she dying, he married the Lady Elizabeth, the youngest daughter; and died at Turin, May 21, 1670. His Lady afterwards married Ralph Duke of Montagu. He had issue an only son Henry, who died an infant, and two daughters, Elizabeth who was four years old at his decease, and Henrietta, who died soon after baptism. Upon his death the title of Earl of Northumberland became extinct.

The title of Baroness Percy devolved on the before-mentioned Elizabeth, only daughter of the said Josceline. Her Ladyship was married in 1679, to Henry Cavendish, Earl of Ogle, only son to Henry Duke of Newcastle; and, by agreement before marriage, his Lordship bore the name and arms of Percy; but he died November 1, 1680. She was 2dly claimed in marriage by Thomas Thynne, of Long-Leate, in the county of Wilts, Esq. who was on that account murdered by the contrivance of Count Coningsmark, February 12, 1681. On the 30th of May 1680, she was married to Charles Seymour, Duke of Somerset. He had issue three sons and four daughters, who lived to maturity, viz. 1. Algernon, who on the death of his mother, on November 23, 1722, succeeded to the Baronies of Percy, Lucy, Poynings, Fitz-Pain, Brian, and Latimer; and being summoned by writ to the House of Peers, took his seat there as Lord Percy; 2. Lord Percy Seymour; and 3. Lord Charles Seymour, who both died unmarried; Lady Elizabeth, married to Henry Earl of Thomond, who died without issue; Lady Catharine, married to Sir William Windham, father by her of Charles late Earl of Egremont; Lady Anne, married to Peregrine Marquis of Carmarthen, and Lady Frances, who died unmarried. His Lordship (of whom see a more particular account under the title of Duke of Somerset) married Frances, daughter of Henry Thynne, Esq. by whom he had a son George, Viscount Beauchamp, who died at Bologna in Italy, September 11, 1744, being nineteen year, of age; and a daughter Lady Elizabeth. And his Grace dying February 7, 1750, was succeeded in the Baronies of Percy, Poynings, &c. by his only daughter,

ELIZABETH, who married in 1740, to Sir Hugh Smithson, since created Duke of Northumberland. And she dying, December 6, 1776, was succeeded by her son,

HUGH, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Summoned to Parliament in 1377, 1 Ric. II.

ARMS, &c. the same as those of his mother, Plate XXXV.

TOWNSHEND, LORD DE FERRERS.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE TOWNSHEND Baron DE FERRERS of Chartley, eldest son of Viscount Townshend, born April 18, 1753, succeeded as Baron de Ferrers, on the death of his mother, September 14, 1770. *his lordship married Charlotte Ellerker 24. Dec. 1771*

HENRY DE FERRARIIS, came over with William the Conqueror, and had Robert, who was advanced to the Earldom of Derby, 3d King Stephen. He had three sons; William, Earl Ferrers and Derby; Robert, who succeeded him; and Walcheline. Robert, who was heir to his brother William, was succeeded by William Earl Ferrers, his son.

WILLIAM, Earl Ferrers and Derby, who died in April, 1254, left a son Robert Ferrers, Earl of Derby, his heir, who died the 7th of Edward I. and left John, his heir, who in the 27th of Ed. I. was summoned to Parliament, among the Barons, as Lord Ferrers of Chartley. He married Hawyse, daughter and heir of Sir Walter de Muscegros, Knt. and died the 18th of Edward II. leaving Robert, his heir, who, married Agnes, daughter of Humphry de Bohun, Earl of Hereford, leaving John his heir, and Robert, who married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of William le Boteler, second son of William Baron of Wemm.

JOHN, who succeeded as Lord Ferrers, married Elizabeth, daughter of Ralph Earl of Stafford, and widow of Foulk L'Estrange, and died April 22, 1367, and was succeeded by his son Robert, Lord Ferrers, who died in 1413, leaving issue by Margaret, daughter of Edward Lord Spencer,

EDMUND,

EDMUND, his heir, who died in 1436, married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Thomas de la Roche, Knt. and by her, who married secondly Sir William Chetwynd, Knt. had two sons, William Lord Ferrers, and Edmund, of which the eldest married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Hamon Belknap, and died June 9, 1450, leaving an only daughter Anne, his heir, married to Sir Walter Devereux, Knt. who was summoned to Parliament as Lord Ferrers of Chartley, and whose grandson was created Viscount Hereford. From that family the Barony descended to Dorothy, daughter of Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, the great favourite of Queen Elizabeth, who married Sir Henry Shirley, as may be seen in the account of the family of Earl Ferrers; and that Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Viscount Tamworth, succeeded to the Barony. She married James Compton, Earl of Northampton; and dying in 1740, the Lady Charlotte, her only surviving daughter, at length, became Baroness Ferrers of Chartley, and in Dec. 1751, married George, now Viscount Townshend, by whom she had three sons, George, John, and Frederick-Patrick. And her Ladyship deceasing Sept. 14, 1770, was succeeded by her eldest son,

GEORGE, the present Lord Ferrers of Chartley.

CREATIONS.] Originally by tenure, and writ of summons, February 6, 1298; also by writ of summons, 1 Edward IV. 1460; again by writ, Dec. 17, 1677.

ARMS.] Those of his mother. [*Plate XXXV.*] Quarterly, first, *sable*, a lion passant-guardant, *or*, between three helmets, *argent*, for Compton, secondly, pally of six, *or* and *azure*, a canton *ermine*, for Shirley. Third, France and England quarterly with a border, *argent*, for Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester. Fourth, as the first. He also quarters the arms of his father Viscount Townshend.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a talbot, *ermine*, his ears, *or*; his ducal collar, *gules*. On the sinister, a rein deer of the last, attired, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet of the third, billeted, *or*.

CREST.] On a wreath a buck, *sable*, attired, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Hæc generi incrementa fides.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Tamworth castle, Warwickshire.

BARRET-LENNARD, LORD DACRE.

of the South
THE Right Hon. THOMAS BARRET-LENNARD, Lord DACRE, born in 1716, succeeded his mother Anne, Baroness Dacre, who became heir to that title and estate on the death of her eldest sister Barbara, in 1740. He married Anne, daughter of Sir John Pratt, Kt. and sister to Lord Camden, and had issue one daughter, who is deceased.

George Lennard lived in the reign of King Henry VI. and was the ancestor of Sampson, who married Margaret, daughter of Thomas, and sister and heir to Gregory Fiennes Lord Dacre, who brought him the Manor of Dacre, and the Barony of Dacre was adjudged to her, the 2d of James I. *see Lennard C. of Sussex*

By the said Mr. Lennard she had three sons, Henry, Gregory, and Thomas, and five daughters; Anne, married to Herbert Morley, Esq. Mary to Sir Ralph Bosville; Margaret, to Sir Thomas Waller; Elizabeth, to Sir Francis Barnham; and Frances to Sir Robert More.

6th **HENRY**, their son, who succeeded as Lord Dacre, married Chryfogona, daughter of Sir Richard Baker, by whom he had three sons, Richard, Edward, and Fiennes, of which the two last died without issue; and four daughters; Margaret, married to Sir Anthony Widgoos; Penelope, to Sir William Brooke; Philadelphia, to Sir Thomas Parker; and Barbara to Sir Philip Stapleton. And their father dying Aug. 13, 1616, was succeeded by his eldest son,

7th **RICHARD** Lord Dacre: He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arthur Throckmorton, by whom he had four sons, Francis, Richard, Thomas, and Henry; which three last died without issue. His second wife was Dorothy, daughter of Dudley Lord North, by whom he had a son, Richard, who took the name of Barret; of whom hereafter.

8th **FRANCIS** succeeded his father, who died August 18, 1630, as Lord Dacre: He married Elizabeth, daughter of Paul Viscount Bayning, and had issue three sons and three daughters; Philadelphia married to Daniel Obrien, Viscount Clare; Elizabeth, to William, third Earl of Meath; and Margaret, who died unmarried: His sons were, Thomas, his successor; Francis, who died

died a bachelor, and Henry, who left three daughters. Their father died in 1662; and Elizabeth, his wife, was created Countess of Sheppy, during life, September 6, 1680.

THOMAS Lord Dacre, their heir, married the Lady Anne, natural daughter of King Charles II. by Barbara, Duchess of Cleveland, and was on October 5, 26 Car. II. created Earl of Sussex. He had two sons, Charles and Henry, who died in their infancy, and two daughters, Barbara and Anne, his coheirs. He died in 1715, and the Barony became in obedience, between the daughters, till the eldest (who was the wife of Charles Skelton) dying at Paris in 1740, without issue, Lady Anne, her sister, became sole heir, and was Baroness Dacre. She married first Richard-Lennard Barrett, Esq. secondly to Henry Roper, Lord Teynham, being his second wife; by whom she had two sons Charles and Henry, and one daughter, Anne; thirdly, to Robert Moore, by whom she had one son Henry.

Richard-Lennard Barrett, Esq. her first husband, was grandson of Richard Lennard, son of Richard Lord Dacre, by his second wife. This Richard Lennard took the surname of Barrett, in consideration of the Manor of Bell-house, and other lands in Essex, bequeathed him by Sir Edward Barrett. The said Richard-Lennard Barrett died in 1716, five months after his marriage, and left his wife with child of a son,

THOMAS, the present Lord.

CREATION.] By writ of summons 36 Henry VI. 1460, again declared 2 James I. 1604.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, on a fesse, *gules*, three fleurs-de-lis of the *first* for Lennard; second and third, party-per-pale, barry of four counter-changed, *argent* and *gules*, for Barret. [Plate XXIV.]

CREST.] An Arabian dog's head, *argent*, langued, *gules*, eyes, *or*, issuing out of a ducal coronet, *or*; and sometimes a hydra, *proper*, on a wreath, *argent* and *gules*, being the Barret-crest.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a wolf, *argent*, langued *gules*, with a spiked collar, chain, and clog, *or*; on the sinister side, a bull, *gules*, horned and collared with a ducal coronet and chain, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Pour bien desirer.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Bell-house, in Essex.

STOURTON,

STOURTON, LORD STOURTON.

THE Hon. WILLIAM STOURTON, Lord STOURTON, Baron Stourton, succeeded his Brother Charles, who died without issue March 11, 1753. He married Winifred, daughter of Philip Howard, of Buckenham in Norfolk, Esq. brother to the late Duke of Norfolk, by which Lady, who died July 15, 1754, he hath issue,

Charles-Philip, born August 22, 1752, and two daughters, viz. 1. Catharine, born August 6, 1750; and 2. Charlotte-Mary, born Sept. 16, 1751.

This family took its denomination from the town of Stourton.

WILLIAM STOURTON, in the 21st of Richard II. married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Moigne, and dying in 1413, left issue a daughter Margaret, married to William Clarent; and a son,

(1st L.) JOHN, who in the reign of Henry VI. was created Lord Stourton: He married Margery, daughter of Sir John Wadham, and dying in 1462, left issue two sons, Sir William, Sir Reginald who had no male issue, and two daughters, and was succeeded by

(2d L.) Sir WILLIAM, his eldest son, who married Margaret, daughter to Sir John Chideock, and dying in 1478, left issue a daughter, Ursula, the second wife of Edward the first Earl of Lincoln.

(3d L.) JOHN, his heir, married Catharine, daughter of Sir Maurice Berkley, and leaving no issue, was succeeded by

(4th L.) WILLIAM, his brother, who married Thomafine, daughter of Hugh Wriothesley, and dying about the year 1522, without issue, was succeeded by

(5th E.) EDWARD, his brother, who married Joan, daughter of John Fontleroy, and dying in 1536, left issue,

(6th L.) WILLIAM, Roger, Peter, and Christopher; of which the youngest married Elizabeth Denys, and had issue Thomas, Edmund, and Leonard; and the eldest succeeded his father. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Edmund, and sister to John Dudley, Duke of Northumberland, and dying in 1558, was succeeded by his son and heir.

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(7th L.) CHARLES, who suffered for murder at Salisbury, in 1557. He married Anne, daughter to Edward Stanley, the second Earl of Derby, and by her, who married secondly Sir John Arundel, left three sons,

(8th L.) JOHN, Edward, and Charles; whereof, John, being restored in blood by act of parliament, 1575; but dying without issue in 1588,

(9th L.) EDWARD, his next brother, became his heir: He married Frances, daughter to Sir Thomas Tresham, by whom he had four sons and two daughters; Margaret, married Sir Thomas Sulyard, and Mary, to Walter Norton, Esq. And of the sons, who were

(10th L.) WILLIAM, Thomas, Francis, and Edward; the eldest, in 1632, succeeded his father. He married Frances, daughter to Sir Edward Moor, and by her had three sons and two daughters: of which, Mary, was married to John Weld, of Lulworth-castle; and Frances was a nun at Cambray: and of the sons, who were Edward, William, and Thomas, the latter was a monk; and the eldest died in 1644, in his father's life-time; and left issue by Mary his wife, daughter to Robert Lord Petre,

(11th L.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his grandfather: He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John Preston, and by her, who died in April 1668, left issue six sons, Edward, Thomas, Charles, Botolph, William, and John, besides three more who died young.

(12th L.) EDWARD, the eldest succeeded, and died at Paris in Oct. 1720, having there married a daughter of Robert Buckingham, Esq. but leaving no issue, was succeeded by

(13th L.) THOMAS, his next brother, who died in April 1744. Charles, the next brother, married Catharine, daughter to Richard Frampton, Esq. and by her had,
1. Charles. 2. William, the present Lord. 3. James.
4. Mary, married to Jordan Langdale, Esq. 5. Jane, married to Anthony Kemp, Esq. 6. Elizabeth; And
7. Catharine, both unmarried.

(14th L.) CHARLES, who succeeded his uncle as Lord Stourton, married Catharine, widow of Robert-James Lord Petre, and dying without issue, March 11, 1753, was succeeded by his brother,

(15th L.) WILLIAM, now Lord Stourton.

CREATION.] Baron Stourton, May 13, 1448.

ARMS.]

380 BARONESS BERNERS.

ARMS.] *Sable, a bend, or, between six fountains, proper. [Plate XXIV.]*

CREST.] On a wreath, a demi-grey-friar, habited in russet, girt, *or*, holding a scourge of three lashes with knots, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two sea-dogs, *proper*, scaled on their backs, and finned, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Loyal je serai durant ma vie.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Stourton-castle, in Staffordshire.

WILSON, BARONESS BERNERS.

THE Right Honourable CATHARINE WILSON, Baronefs Berners.

Sir RICHARD Berners, was a Baron in the reign of Henry IV. and dying in 1421, left issue by Philippa, daughter of Edmund Dalingrug, Margery, his daughter and heir, married first to John Feriby, Esq. and afterwards to Sir John Bouchier, fourth son to William Bouchier, Earl of Ewe.

Which Sir JOHN BOURCHIER, was summoned to Parliament, 33 Hen. VI. by the title of Lord Berners. He had issue two sons Humphry and Thomas.

HUMPHRY, the elder brother, was slain at Barnet-Field, April 14. 1471, fighting on the part of King Edward. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Frederick Tilney, and left one son, John, who died in 1552. He married Catharine, daughter of John Howard, Duke of Norfolk, by whom he had two daughters, Mary, married to Alexander Unton, Esq. but died without issue; and Jane, who by the death of her sister, became sole heir to her father, and was married to Edmund Knyvet, Esq. Serjeant-Porter to King Henry VIII. from whom descended Catharine Knyvet, wife of Richard Bokenham, Esq. who laying claim to the Barony of Berners, the House of Peers, in June, 1720, adjudged, that the said Catharine had a right to the Barony of Berners in fee.

neither this Jane nor her husband claiming the Barony it laid dormant till the year 1720 as above mentioned

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The said JANE, had by Edward Knyvet, above-mentioned, John, her eldest son, who died in her life-time, ^{3^d 2^d} and left issue Sir Thomas Knyvet, his son, who had issue Sir Thomas Knyvet, the younger, his eldest son, who ^{4th 2^d} died in the life-time of his father, leaving Thomas Knyvet, his son and heir. And the said Thomas Knyvet had John, his eldest son, who had issue two sons, and four daughters, besides the said Catharine, Lady Berners, viz. Thomas and John, Elizabeth, Mary, Jane, and Muriel; of which, Thomas, John, Mary, and Muriel, died unmarried; Elizabeth was married to Thomas Glenham, Esq. and Jane to Oliver le Neve, Esq. and both died without issue; whereby Catharine became the sole heir of Sir John Bouchier, Kt. first Lord Berners, who was lineally descended from him; which Catharine married to her first husband John Harris; secondly, Richard Bokenham, but had no issue by either of her husbands. She died Dec. 1743, and the Barony descended to Catharine, heir of Thomas Knyvet, of Mutford in the county of Suffolk, Esq. 2d surviving son, of Thomas Knyvet, Esq. eldest son and heir of Sir Thomas Knyvet, of Ashwelthorp, above-mentioned; her Ladyship married — Wilson, ^{of Didling} Esq. and has a son.

CREATION.] Summoned to Parliament as Lord Berners, May 26, 1455, 33 Hen. VI.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*, a line within a border engrailed, *sable*, second and third quarterly, *or* and *vert*.

Had 2 dau. 1. Edw. 3^d E. of Derby by his 2^d wife married Sir Tho. Knyvet.

VERNEY, LORD WILLOUGHBY DE BROKE.

THE Right Honourable JOHN-PEYTO VERNEY, Lord WILLOUGHBY DE BROKE, born in 1738, succeeded his uncle Richard, the late Lord, August 11, 1752. He married Oct. 8, 1761, Lady Louisa, daughter of Francis Earl of Guildford, by whom he has issue, 1. John-Peyto. 2. George. 3. Louisa.

This family is descended from William de Verney, who lived in the reign of King Henry I.

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GEORGE Verney, who died April 8, 1574, married Jane, daughter to William Lucy, of Charlcot, Esq. by whom he had four daughters and one son, Sir Richard Verney, whose wife was Margaret, only daughter to Sir Fulk Grevile, Kt. (by Elizabeth, daughter to Edward, eldest son to Lord Willoughby of Broke, a younger branch of the family of Parham) and at length heir to her brother Fulk Grevile, Lord Broke of Beauchamp's court; and by her, who died March 26, 1631, he had issue four sons, Sir Grevile, John, Richard, who died unmarried, and George, who married Tryphena, daughter of Edmund Sheffield, the first Earl of Mulgrave; and four daughters, Mary, who was married to Sir Richard Samwell; Anne, to John Breton, Esq. Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Margaret, who was married to — Shirley, Esq.

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Of the sons, Sir GREVILLE, the eldest succeeded his father, 1630; and married Catharine, daughter to Sir Robert Southwell, by whom he had Grevile, his heir; John, who died an infant; Sir Richard, and George, who died unmarried: Which Grevile marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas the second Viscount Wenman, and dying in 1648, by her left a son Grevile, and he marrying the Lady Diana, daughter to William the first Duke of Bedford, by her, who married secondly William Lord Allington, had William his only child, who dying unmarried, put an end to that line: So that we now return to Sir Richard, who, being descended through the heiress of Grevile, from Robert Willoughby, Baron of Broke, laid claim to the said title, alledging that he was lineal heir to Sir Robert Willoughby, who was summoned to Parliament, as Lord Broke, 7th of Henry VII. to whom succeeded Sir Robert Willoughby, his son and heir, who was summoned to Parliament by the same title, by King Henry VIII. and seized of the said Barony, to him and his heirs, as of fee and right; whereupon his Barony descended to Elizabeth, Lady Grevile, grandchild and at length sole heir to the second Lord Broke, and afterwards to her grandchild and heir, Sir Fulk Grevile, and though he was created Lord Broke of Beauchamp's court, by King James I. by patent to him and his heirs male, with remainder to his cousin Robert Grevile, and his heirs male, yet he was entitled to the said Barony of Broke in fee;

Fulk Grevile 1st Lord Broke, was summoned to Parliament in 1501, and died without issue, whereby the Barony of Broke descended to his sister, Mary, above mentioned, who married Sir R. Verney, whose grandchild, Sir R. Verney, claimed the Barony in 1521. The title of Lord Broke was created by the patent to Robert Grevile, ancestor of the Earl of Warwick.

fee; and dying without issue, the said Barony in fee descended to Margaret, sister of the said Foulk, his sole heir; and the same being allowed in Parliament, the 13th of February 1696, he, on the 25th of the same month, took place as the ancient Barons of Broke, and died on the 18th of July, 1711. *aged 90 1492. 7. Hen. 7*

He married first Mary, daughter to Sir John Prettyman, and by her had three sons, and a daughter, married to Samuel Davenport, Esq. and by his second wife, Mary, daughter to Thomas Dove, Esq. he had Richard, who died a bachelor, and Diana, married to Sir Charles Shuckburgh.

Of the sons by the first wife, which were John, George, and Thomas, who died in Portugal; the eldest, marrying Christian, daughter to John Breton, Esq. by her had two sons John and Grevile, who both died young; and dying in his father's life-time, (October 31, 1707) without surviving issue,

GEORGE, his next brother, who was Canon of Windford, succeeded his father, and died on the 26th of December, 1728.

He married Margaret, daughter to Sir John Heath, and by her, who died on the 18th of Oct. 1729, had three sons, and a daughter, married to Anthony Duncomb, Lord Feverham.

Of the sons, which were Thomas, Richard, and John, the latter, died August 5, 1741. He married Abigail, daughter of Edward Harley, Esq. by which Lady (who died June, 10, 1760) he had a son born in August, 1738, John-Peyto, and two daughters, Margaret, who died young, and Sarah.

Thomas, the eldest son, married Eleanor, youngest daughter to Thomas Lord Leigh, and dying in May, 1710, by her, who died January 8, 1756, had a daughter of her name, married to George Bowes, Esq.

RICHARD, his next brother, succeeded his father, December 16, 1723. He married first, Miss Rebecca Packe, and secondly Margaret, daughter to Mr. Williams, by whom he had one son George, who died an infant. And his Lordship dying in August, 1752, was succeeded in the honour by

JOHN-PEYTO VERNEY, his nephew, son of his brother John, who was Master of the Rolls & died 5 Aug. 1741

CREA-

CREATION.] Baron Willoughby de Broke, August 12, 1492.

ARMS.] *Gules*, three crosses recercele, verded, *or*, a chief *vaire*, *ermine* and *ermineois*. [Plate XXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the bust of a man coupé and affronté, *proper*, crowned ducally, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two antelopes, *argent*, spotted, *gules*, armed, crested, and unguled, *or*.

MOTTO[*Vertue waunceth*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Compton Mardock and Chester-ton, in Warwickshire.

WILLOUGHBY, LORD WILLOUGHBY OF PARHAM.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE WILLOUGHBY, Lord WILLOUGHBY of Parham in Suffolk, succeeded his uncle, the late Earl, July 4, 1775.

Sir JOHN WILLOUGHBY, was at the battle of Poitiers, and had been summoned to Parliament from the 24th to the 46th of Edward III. He married Cecilia, sister and coheir to William Ufford, Earl of Suffolk; who brought to this family the Lordship of Ufford, Parham, &c. and left issue Robert, their heir, who had five sons, William, Robert, Thomas, John, and Bryan. Of the sons, Thomas, the third, was the ancestor of the Lord BROKE.

WILLIAM, eldest son, died 11th of Henry VI. leaving issue by Lucy, daughter to Robert Lord Strange of Knockyn, Robert, who died without male issue, and Thomas, ancestor to the Lord Willoughby of Parham; which Thomas had a son Robert, the father of another ROBERT, who died under age, leaving Christopher, his brother and heir. He married Margery, daughter of Sir William Jenney, by whom he left five sons, William, Christopher, John, George, and Thomas; from the youngest of whom descended the present Lord MIDDLETON. Sir William the eldest son, had the title of Lord Willoughby. He died the 17th of Henry VIII. leaving by the Lady Mary Salines; Catharine, who married first Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk; whom surviving, she married secondly Richard Bertie, and by him had a son Peregrine, who in her right had summons to Parliament as Lord WILLOUGHBY of ERESBY.

CHRIS-

2. son of Charles
CHRISTOPHER, brother to William Lord Willoughby of Eresby, marrying Elizabeth, sister and heir of Gilbert Lord Tolbois, by her had

(1st L.) Sir WILLIAM Willoughby, who, in the first of Edward VI. was created Lord Willoughby of Parham. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Heneage, and by her had

(2d L.) CHARLES, and a daughter Mary. He married Margaret, daughter to Edward the first Earl of Lincoln, and by her he had five sons and three daughters.

Of the sons, who were WILLIAM, Sir Ambrose Willoughby, Edward, Charles, and Sir Thomas, Edward and Charles died without issue; Sir Ambrose married Susan Brook, and had issue Edward, who by Rebecca, daughter of Henry Draper, had issue Henry, his heir. He left issue Henry, his heir, who by Elizabeth, daughter of William Pidgeon, had issue five sons, Henry, William, Edward, Joseph, and Fortune; and two daughters, Elizabeth and Mary, both unmarried; Henry, became the 14th Lord; William, second son, married Elizabeth, daughter of — Knochton, and had issue William, deceased; Edward died without issue; Joseph died unmarried; and Fortune, fifth son, married Hannah, widow of Cook Tollet, and had issue George, the present Lord. *Ambrose 2. son*
We now return to William, eldest son of Charles, the second Lord, who died in his father's life-time, leaving issue by Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Sir Christopher Hilliard, five sons and six daughters; Catharine, married to Joseph Godfrey, Esq. Mary, to Sir William Booth; Elizabeth, to Sir William Hickman; Honora, Priscilla, and Ursula. *William 1st son* Of the sons, which were

(3d L.) WILLIAM, Charles, Sir Thomas, Edward, and Christopher, the eldest succeeded his grandfather; and by Frances, daughter to John Earl of Rutland, had two sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Frances who was married to Sir Bulstrode Whitlock: And of the sons,

(4th L.) FRANCIS, the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Cecil, Viscount Wimbleton, and by her had three daughters; Diana, married to Heneage the second Earl of Winchelsea; Frances, to William Lord Brereton; and Elizabeth, to Roger Jones, Earl of Ranagh, but dying without issue male,

(5th L.) WILLIAM, his brother, became his heir; and marrying Anne, daughter to John Carey, Esq. by her had seven sons, and five daughters; and died in July, 1666.

Of the daughters, which were Frances, Elizabeth, Anne, Mary, and Catharine, the latter was married first to Charles Viscount Cullen, and afterwards to Sir John Harpur; and the eldest first to Sir John Harpur, secondly to Henry Kirkhoven, Earl of Bellamont; and lastly to Henry Heveningham, Esq. of the sons, which were

(6th L.) GEORGE, Henry, William, John, James, Carey, and Charles, the eldest succeeded his father; and marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Henry Fiennes, Esq. by her he had John, his heir, and a daughter Elizabeth, born April 29, 1673, who was married to James Bertie, second son to the Earl of Abington.

(7th L.) JOHN, who succeeded, dying unmarried,

(8th L.) JOHN, his uncle. his father's next surviving brother, became his heir; but he dying without issue, the honour devolved upon

(9th L.) CHARLES, the youngest of the said seven sons, who married Mary, daughter to Sir Beaumont Dixie, and died without issue, Dec. 9, 1678.

The principal male line thus failing, we return now to Sir Thomas Willoughby, who married Mary, daughter of John Thorney, and had issue Thomas, his heir, who married Eleanor, daughter of Hugh Wittle, by whom he had four sons; Thomas and Edward, who both died young;

(10th L.) HUGH, who succeeded to the honour and was the tenth Lord. He married first Anne, daughter to Laurence Halliwell, by whom he had a son Thomas, who died young; and secondly Honora, sister to Thomas Lord Leigh, and widow of Sir William Egerton; but he dying in August, 1712, without surviving issue, we return to Francis, his brother, who, by Eleanor Rothwell, had four sons; of which,

(11th L.) EDWARD, the second, succeeded, and, dying in April 1713, was succeeded by

(12th L.) CHARLES, his brother, who dying the 12th of June, 1715, left issue, by Hester his wife, daughter to Henry Davenport, Esq.

(13th L.) HUGH, who died in 1765, without issue, whereupon,

(14th L.) HENRY, being the descendant of Sir Ambrose Willoughby, son of Charles, the second Lord Willoughby, laid claim to the title, and the same was confirmed to him by the House of Peers, March 20, 1767. He married Suffex, daughter of Henry Greswell, Esq. by whom he had three sons and three daughters, who all died young, except Elizabeth, who was married to John Halsey, Esq. and his Lordship deceasing July 4, 1775, was succeeded by his nephew,

(15th L.) GEORGE, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Willoughby of Parham, Feb. 16, 1547.

ARMS.] *Or, fretty, azure.* [Plate XXV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the head and breast of a Saracen couped, and affronté, *proper*, crowned ducally, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an ostrich, *argent*, beaked and membered, *or*, and in its beak an horse-shoe, *or*; on the sinister, a savage wreathed about the temples and loins, with wild ivy, *proper*.

MOTTO.]

CHIEF SEATS.]



P A G E T, L O R D P A G E T.

THE Right Hon. HENRY PAGET, Lord PAGET of Beaufert, succeeded to this Barony on the death of Henry the late Earl of Uxbridge, November 16, 1769, being descended by his mother from William the fifth Lord Paget. He married Jane Champagne, daughter of the Dean of Clonmacnoise in Ireland, by whom he has two sons.

(1st L.) Sir WILLIAM Paget, in the 4th of Edw. VI. was sent Ambassador to the Emperor Charles VI. and was created Baron Paget, of Beaufert. He left issue by Anne, daughter to Henry Preston, Esq. four sons, Henry, Thomas, Charles, and Edward, which latter died young; and five daughters, 1. Ethelred, married Sir Christopher Allen. 2. Joan, to Sir Thomas Kitson. 3. Anne, to Sir Henry Lee; Eleanor, first to Jerome Palmer, Esq. and secondly to Sir Rowland Clerk. 4. Dorothy, to Thomas Willoughby, Esq. 5. Grisel, first to Sir Thomas Rivet, and secondly to Sir William Waldegrave.

(2d L.) HENRY succeeded his father, ^{m. 1563} and marrying Catharine, daughter to Sir Henry Knevet, by her, who afterwards married Sir Edward Carey, had a daughter Elizabeth, who died young. But having no issue male,

(3d L.) THOMAS his next brother became heir, who in the 29th of Elizabeth, was attainted in Parliament with his brother Charles, and died at Brussels. He married Nazaret, daughter to Sir Henry Newton, widow of Sir Thomas Southwell, and had issue;

(4th L.) Sir WILLIAM his heir, who, in the 1st of James I. was restored to his lands and honours. He married Lettice, daughter to Henry Knolles, Esq. and had three sons, and four daughters; Margaret, married Sir William Hicks; Dorothy died unmarried; Catharine married Sir Anthony Irby; and Anne, first to Sir Simon Harcourt, and secondly to Sir William Waller. And of the sons, the two youngest, Henry and Thomas, died unmarried.

(5th L.) WILLIAM the eldest succeeding his father, married the Lady Frances Rich, daughter to Henry Earl of Holland, and had three sons and seven daughters; whereof Isabella died unmarried; Lettice, married to Richard Hampden, Esq. Elizabeth died unmarried; Frances married Rowland Hunt, Esq. Penelope married Philip Foley, Esq. Diana to Sir Henry Ashhurst; Anne, died unmarried. The sons were, 1. William; 2. Henry; 3. Thomas. Henry married a daughter of — Sandford, Esq. and had a daughter Dorothy, married to Sir Edward Irby, and a son Thomas, who was a Brigadier General, and married Mary, daughter of Peter Whitcomb, Esq. and dying in February, 1741, left issue a daughter Caroline, who was married in April, 1737, to Sir Nicholas Bayley, Baronet, by whom she had issue Henry, the present Lord, who became heir to this title, it being a Barony in fee, on the death of Henry Earl of Uxbridge, and thereupon took the name of Paget, by his Majesty's royal licence.

(6th L.) WILLIAM, the eldest succeeded, and died February 26, 1712. He married Frances, daughter to Francis Pierpoint, Esq. and by her, who died Sept. 2, 1749, had two sons, William who died in his father's life-time unmarried, and

(1st E.) HENRY, his heir, who was created Earl of Uxbridge. By his second wife Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Walter

Walter Bagot, Bart. whom he married in June 1739, he had no issue; but by his first wife Mary, daughter to Thomas Catesby, Esq. which Lady died Nov. 1, 1734, he had an only son,

THOMAS-CATESBY Lord Paget, who died Feb. 1742, in his father's life-time. By the Lady Elizabeth, sister to Scroop Duke of Bridgewater, whom he married May 3, 1718, he had two sons Henry, and George who died in 1737, and the Earl dying in September 1743, was succeeded by his grandson,

(2d E.) HENRY, who died Nov. 16, 1769, unmarried, and the title of Earl became extinct, but the Barony of Paget descended to HENRY BAYLEY, Esq. son of Sir Nicholas Bayley, Bart. in right of his mother, who was the only daughter of General Thomas Paget, son of Henry Paget, Esq. the second son of William the fifth Lord Paget.

CREATION.] Baron Paget, Jan. 19, 1550.

ARMS.] *Sable*, on a cross engrailed, between four eagles, displaye, *argent*, five lions passant of the first. The same as the Earl of Uxbridge, with the difference of a Baron's coronet. [Plate XXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath a demi tyger, rampant, *sable*, gorged with a ducal coronet, tufted and maned, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two tygers, as in the crest.

MOTTO.] *Per il suo contrario.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Beaufort in Staffordshire.

ST. JOHN, LORD ST. JOHN OF BLETSOE.

THE Right Honourable HENRY BEAUCHAMP ST. JOHN, Lord ST. JOHN of Bletsoe, born August 2, 1758, succeeded his father John, the late Lord, in June, 1767.

This family derive their surname from a place called St. John in Normandy.

JOHN de St. John, in the reign of Henry I. held lands in the county of Oxford.

To him succeeded John, his brother, whose son Roger, marrying Cicely, daughter to Robert de Hava, had two sons and a daughter, Muriel, who marrying Reginald de Arenal, by him had a daughter Mabil, who marrying Adam de Port, Baron of Basing in the county of Sothampton,

ampton, by him had a son William, who succeeded him; and assuming the surname of St. John, his family was styled Lord St. John of Basing; and the line continued until the reign of Edward III. but then expired in the person of Edmund St. John, Lord of Basing, who left a sister Elizabeth, his heir; and she marrying with Luke de Poinings, he in her right in the 42d of Edward III. had summons to Parliament as Baron St. John of Basing; but that line terminating in three grand-daughters, of which the eldest being married to Sir John Powlet, his grandson William Powlet, in the reign of Henry 8, was created Baron St. John of Basing, Earl of Wiltshire, and Marquis of Winchester, and was the ancestor to the Duke of BOLTON. But having done with this branch, we return to WILLIAM ST. JOHN, a younger son of Robert, the second Lord St. John of Basing; which William married Isabella, daughter and coheir to William Combmartin, and by her had a son John, who was knighted, and was father of another Sir John; which last marrying Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Sir Henry Humfreville, of Penmark, from that match proceeded Sir John St. John, Lord of Penmark, who had issue Sir Oliver St. John, Kt. who married Margaret, sister and sole heir to John de Beauchamp of Bletshoe, with whom he had that Lordship, and by her (who afterwards was married to John Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, and was by him mother of Margaret Countess of Richmond, mother of King Henry VII.) had two sons and several daughters, of which, Margaret was married to Henry, the fifth Earl of Kent. Of the sons, Oliver, the youngest, was progenitor of the present Viscount Bolingbroke; and John, being knighted, married Margery, daughter of Sir William Waldegrave, and by her had two daughters, Margaret, married to Francis the second Earl of Bedford; Mary, to John Harvey, Esq. and a son,

(1st L.) OLIVER, who in the first of Elizabeth was created Lord St. John of Bletshoe. He married Agnes, daughter to John Fisher, Esq. and by her had four sons, and four daughters; Martha, who was married to — Cheney, Esq. Judith, to Sir John Pelham; Margaret to — Luke, Esq. and Anne, first to Robert Corbet, Esq. and next to Rowland Litton, Esq. and of the sons, which were,

(2d L.) JOHN, Oliver, Thomas, and Francis, the eldest succeeding his father, married Catharine, daughter to Sir William Dormer, by whom he had a daughter Anne, who was married to William Lord Howard of Effingham, eldest son of Charles Earl of Nottingham; but having no issue male, the honour descended to

(3d L.) OLIVER, his brother, who marrying Dorothy, daughter to John Read, Esq. by her had eight sons and seven daughters; Elizabeth, Margaret, Judith, Anne, Catharine, Dorothy, and Martha; of which the eldest was married to Sir William Beecher; the second to Sir Thomas Cheney; the third to Sir John Thompson; and the fourth to Robert Charnock, Esq. And of the sons, which were Oliver, John, Anthony, Alexander, Sir Rowland, Henry, Beauchamp, and Dudley; the second, third, fourth, and last died young; Anthony, Alexander, and Rowland, were knighted; and

(4th L. and 1st E.) OLIVER, the eldest, succeeding his father, was, by King James I. in 1624, created Earl of Bolingbroke. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to William Powlet, Esq. and by her had four sons, and a daughter Dorothy, married to John Lord Rochford, son to the Earl of Dover: The sons were Oliver, Powlet, Charles, and Francis. Oliver, bearing arms against the King in 1642, was slain at the battle of Edgehill; and by Arabella, daughter to John the first Earl of Bridgewater, had four daughters; Frances, married to Sir William Beecher; Elizabeth, to John Bennet, Esq. Arabella, to Sir Edward Wise; and Dorothy, to Francis Charleton, Esq. But dying in his father's life-time, without issue male, we come now to Powlet, his brother, who married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Rowland Vaughan, and by her had two sons; of which,

(5th L. and 2d E.) OLIVER, succeeded his grandfather, but he marrying Frances, third daughter to William Cavendish Duke of Newcastle, and dying in 1688, without issue, the honour devolved upon

(6th L. and 3d E.) POWLET, his brother, who dying on the 7th of Oct. 1711, unmarried, the Earldom became extinct; so that we now return to

Sir ROWLAND, fifth son of Oliver, the third Lord. He was the father of Oliver St. John, who in 1660, was created a Baronet, and marrying Barbara, heir to the

family of St. Andrew, by her had three sons, St. Andrew, his heir, Rowland, and Oliver.

ST. ANDREW, who succeeded his father in the title of Baronet, and died in 1708, had eight sons and seven daughters; whereof, Mary the second, was married to the Rev. William Foster; and Elizabeth, to John Livesay, Esq. but the other daughters all died in their infancy.

Of the sons, which were Oliver, St. Andrew, Powlet, William, Beauchamp, Rowland, John, and Henry, the latter died unmarried, as did Oliver, the eldest, Powlet, and Beauchamp, who was drowned at sea in 1703, with Sir Cloudefley Shovel; St. Andrew, the second, succeeded his father, and dying before his wife, left her with child of a son, named

(7th L.) ST. ANDREW, on whom devolved the title of Lord St. John of Bletthoe, as successor to Powlet Earl of Bolingbroke, who died in 1711, as before observed; but, he dying in May, 1714, it came next to

(8th L.) WILLIAM, his uncle, who dying on the 11th of Oct. 1720, unmarried, was succeeded by

(9th L.) ROWLAND, his brother; and he dying on the 4th of July, 1722, unmarried,

(10th L.) JOHN, his next brother, succeeded; and on March 6, 1725, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Ambrose Crowley, by her had, 1. John, the late Lord. 2. Andrew, born Dec. 23, 1726, who died in January following. 3. Mary, the eldest daughter, born Nov. 21, 1728, married October 16, 1754, to Henry Drax, Esq. 4. Ambrose, died young. 5. St. Andrew, born Jan. 17, 1732, Rector of Woodford in Northamptonshire, and married Miss Sarah Chase. 6. Elizabeth, born Dec. 12, 1733. 7. Jane, born July 19, 1735. 8. Barbara, born Sept. 19, 1737, married to the Earl of Coventry. 9. Anne, born Jan. 31, 1739, married to Robert Cotton Trefusis, Esq. 10. Henry, born June 1, 1740, a captain in the navy. 11. Lettice, born Dec. 7, 1741; and 12. Ambrose, born Oct. 17, 1743.

His Lordship dying June 24, 1757, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(11th L.) JOHN, who was born Nov. 15, 1725, and succeeded his father John, June 24, 1757; he married Dec. 13, 1755, Susanna-Louisa, daughter of Peter Simond, Esq.

Esq. merchant, of London, by whom he had issue, 1. John, who died an infant. 2. Susannah, born Sept. 18, 1757. 3. Henry Beauchamp, the present Lord. 4. St. Andrew, born August 22, 1759. 5. Matilda, born Jan. 30, 1761. 6. Elizabeth-Barbara, born Feb. 22, 1762. 7. Charlotte, born March 15, 1763. 8. George, born October 19, 1764. 9. Louisa-Theodosia, born October 5, 1765. And his Lordship dying in June, 1767, was succeeded by his son,

(12th L.) HENRY, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Jan. 13, 1559.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a chief, *gules*, two mullets pierced,
or. [Plate XXV.]

CREST.] On a mount, *vert*, a falcon rising, belled, or, and ducally gorged, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two monkies, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Data fata secutus*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Melchburn in Bedfordshire; Woodford in the county of Northampton.

P E T R E, L O R D P E T R E.

THE Right Honourable ROBERT-EDWARD PETRE, Baron PETRE of Writtle, succeeded Robert-James, the late Lord his father, in July 1742. He married, April 19, 1762, Anne, daughter of Philip Howard, Esq. brother to the late Duke of Norfolk, by whom he has issue, 1. Robert-Edward, born Sept. 2, 1763. 2. George-William, born Jan. 10, 1766.

This family had their rise about the beginning of the reign of King Henry VIII.

Sir WILLIAM Petre, married first Gertrude, daughter to Sir John Tyrrel, by whom he had two daughters; Elizabeth, married to John Gostwick, Esq. and Dorothy, to Nicholas Wadham, and having no issue, they became the founders of Wadham-College, in Oxford.

His second wife was daughter to Sir William Browne, and, dying in 1572, by her, he left Sir John, his heir, and two daughters; Catharine, married to John Talbot, Esq. and Thomasine, to Lodowick Grevil, Esq.

(1st L.) Sir JOHN, who succeeded, was by King James I. created Lord Petre; and marrying Mary, daughter to
Sir

Sir Edward Waldegrave, by her had three sons, William, John, and Thomas; of which,

(2d L.) WILLIAM, succeeded him, and marrying Catharine, daughter to Edward Somerset, the fourth Earl of Worcester, and dying the 5th of May, 1637, left seven sons and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to William Sheldon, Esq. Mary, to John Lord Teynham; and Catharine, to John Carrel, Esq. And of the sons, who were

(3d L.) ROBERT, William, Edward, John, Thomas, Henry, who married Anne, daughter to Sir John Gage, and George; the eldest succeeded his father. He married Martha, sixth daughter to Anthony the second Viscount Montagu, by whom he had three sons and two daughters; Mary, married to William Lord Stourton, and Dorothy, to John Thimbleby, Esq. And of the sons, which were

(4th L.) WILLIAM, John, and Thomas; the eldest, on the 11th of June, 1638, succeeded his father in his honour. He married first the Lady Elizabeth Savage, eldest daughter to John Earl Rivers, by whom he had no issue; and secondly Bridget, daughter to John Pincheon of Writtle in Essex, Esq. having only one daughter Mary, married to George Heneage, Esq. and, dying on the 5th of Jan. 1683,

(5th L.) JOHN, his next brother, became heir; and dying in January 1684, unmarried, the honour devolved upon

(6th L.) THOMAS, the youngest brother, who married Mary, daughter to Sir Thomas Clifton, Bart. and, dying on the 5th of Jan. 1706, by her (who died on the 4th of February 1730) left Robert, his heir, and a daughter of her name, who died the 10th of April, 1713; and

(7th L.) ROBERT, her brother, succeeded his father. He married March 1, 1712, Catharine, daughter to Bartholomew Walmley, Esq. (who in April, 1733, married a second husband, Charles, Lord Stourton) and, dying on the 22d of March, 1713, had issue

(8th L.) ROBERT-JAMES, Lord Petre, who was born June 3, 1713. And married on the 2d of May, 1732, the Lady Mary, daughter of James late Earl of Derwentwater, by which Lady, who died March 31, 1760,

he

xx. 9. Edw. 3 son of Wm. 2. Ld. p. was an ecclesiastic
and privy Counsellor & Clerk of the Court

he had issue, 1. Catharine, married to George Heneage, Esq. 2. Barbara, married to Thomas Gifford, Esq. 3. Julia, married to Edward Weld, of Lulworth-Castle, in Dorsetshire, Esq. And his Lordship dying in July 1742, was succeeded by his only son,

(9th L.) ROBERT-EDWARD, now Lord Petre.

CREATION.] July 21, 1603.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a bend, *or*, between two escallop shells, *argent*. [*Plate XXV.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, two lions heads erased and indorfed, the first, *or*, the other *azure*, each gorged with a plain collar counter-changed.

SUPPORTERS.] According to Lilly, on the right side a lion regardant, *azure*, collared, *or*; on the left side a lion regardant, *or*, collared, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Sans Dieu rien*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Thorndon, and Writtlepark, in the county of Essex.

ARUNDEL, LORD ARUNDEL OF WARDOUR.

THE Right Honourable HENRY ARUNDEL, Lord ARUNDEL of Wardour, and Count of the sacred Roman Empire, born March 31, 1740, succeeded his father Henry, the late Lord, September 21, 1756, and married May 31, 1763, Mary, daughter of Benedict Conquest, Esq. and by her has issue, 1. Mary-Christiana, born August 10, 1764. 2. Eleanor-Mary, born March 23, 1766.

This family of Wardour is a branch of that which for many ages hath flourished in the west of England, whereof was ROGER ARUNDEL, who at the time of the general survey (taken after the Norman Conquest) was found to be possessed of twenty-eight Lordships in the county of Somerset.

THOMAS Arundel, in the reign of Henry VIII. marrying Catharine, daughter of John Lord Dynham, by her had Sir John Arundel; to whose son, Sir Thomas, the said King gave the Castle of Wardour.

He married Margaret, daughter to Edmund Lord Howard, third son of Thomas Duke of Norfolk, sister to Catharine, first Queen of King Henry VIII. by whom he

he was father of Sir Matthew, who by Margaret, daughter to Henry Willoughby, Esq. had

(1st L.) Sir THOMAS, his heir; who, serving in the wars in Hungary against the Turks, was by Rodolph II, then Emperor, in the year 1595, advanced to the degree and honour of a Count of the Empire, and to his descendants for ever: And by King James I. was created Baron of Wardour.

He married first Maria, only daughter to Thomas Earl of Southampton, by whom he had two sons, and a daughter, Elizabeth, married to Sir John Philpot, and secondly Anne, daughter to Miles Philipson, Esq. by whom he had three sons, Mathew, Thomas, and Frederick, who all died in their minority; and six daughters, of which Catharine, was married to Ralph, son to William Lord Eure; Mary, to Sir John Somerset; Anne, to Cecil Calvert, Lord Baltimore; Frances, to John Talbot, the tenth Earl of Shrewsbury; Mary, to John Fortescue, Esq. and Clare to Humphry Welde, Esq. And of the sons by the first wife, William, the youngest, married Mary, daughter of Anthony the second Viscount Montagu, and widow of William Lord St. John, and

(2d L.) THOMAS, the eldest, on November 1639, succeeded his father, and married Blanch, daughter to Edward the fourth Earl of Worcester; and, dying May 19, 1643, left Henry, his heir, and two daughters; Catharine, married to Francis Cornwallis, Esq. and Anne, to Roger Vaughan, Esq.

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to 1759* (3d L.) HENRY, who succeeded his father, marrying Cicely, daughter to Sir Henry Compton, widow of Sir John Fermor, by her had two sons and a daughter. And of the sons, who were

(4th L.) THOMAS and HENRY, the eldest on the 28th of December, 1694, succeeded his father, and married Mary, daughter to Thomas Spencer, Esq. by whom he had three sons Henry, Thomas, and Mathew; whereof, Thomas was killed at the battle of the Boyne, and Mathew died unmarried; but

(5th L.) HENRY, in 1712, succeeded his father. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Panton, Esq. and by her (who died on the 9th of May, 1700) had two sons, and a daughter of her name, who was wife of James Touchet, Lord Audley. And of the sons, who were

(6th L.) HENRY and Thomas, the latter was born July 19, 1695; and the eldest, was born on the 16th of February 1693, on the 29th of June, 1726, succeeded his father. He married first Eleanor-Elizabeth, daughter of Baron Everard of Liege, by whom he had issue, 1. Henry, born October 4, 1717; 2. Thomas; 3. James-Everard Arundel, who married on the 24th of June, 1751, Anne, daughter of John Wyndham, Esq. His Lordship married secondly the Lady Anne Herbert, daughter of William the last Marquis of Powis, but by her, who died Oct. 2, 1757, he had no issue; and his Lordship, dying in July, 1746, was succeeded by

(7th L.) HENRY, the late Lord, who married Jan. 27, 1739, Mary, daughter of Richard-Beeling Arundel, Esq.^x His Lordship had issue, 1. Henry. 2. Thomas, *of Lanthorn* born October 4, 1742; and his Lordship dying Sept. 13, 1756, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(8th L.) HENRY, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Baron, May 4, 1605; Count of the Roman Empire, Dec. 14, 1595.

ARMS.] *Sable*, six swallows, three, two, and one, *argent*. [Plate XXV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wolf passant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *ermine*, viz. yellow powdered with black, ducally crowned, *or*. On the sinister, an owl, *argent*; with wings disclosed, *or*, crowned as the dexter.

MOTTO.] *Deo Data*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Wardour-Castle, in Wiltshire.

BLIGH, LORD CLIFTON.

THE Right Hon. JOHN BLIGH, Lord CLIFTON, Baron Clifton of Leighton Bromswold, in England, Earl and Viscount Darnley, and Baron Clifton of Rathmore in Ireland, succeeded his brother Edward, the late Lord, in 1747.

For an account of this family, see the Earl of Darnley in the Peerage of Ireland.

DORMER,

DORMER, LORD DORMER.

THE Right Hon. JOHN DORMER, Lord DORMER of Wenge, succeeded Charles, the late Lord Dormer, his brother, March 7, 1761. He married Mary, daughter of Sir Cecil Bishopp, Bart. by which Lady, who died November 2, 1739, he had issue, 1. Charles, who married August 9, 1749, Lady Mary, sister to George Earl of Shrewsbury. 2. Robert. 3. James, married to Miss Purcell. 4. Elizabeth, married to George, Earl of Shrewsbury. 5. Catharine.

Of this family was Sir Robert Dormer, Knt. who, in the 35th of Henry VIII. obtained a grant to himself, and Anne Newdigate, his wife in fee, of the manor of Wenge; and was succeeded therein by

Sir WILLIAM, their son, who by Mary his first wife, daughter to Sir William Sidney, had an only daughter Joan, who was married to the Count Feria, in Spain: His second wife was Dorothy, daughter to Anthony Catesby, Esq. by whom he had a son, Robert, and three daughters; Catharine, married John Lord St. John of Bletshoe; Mary, to Anthony Brown, Esq. and Margaret, to Sir Henry Constable, Kt.

(1st L.) And ROBERT, their brother, succeeding his father, was created Baron Dormer of Wenge. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Anthony the first Viscount Montagu, and by her had three sons and three daughters; Elizabeth married to Henry Huddleston, Esq. Magdalen, to Sir John Curson; and Catharine, to Sir John Carril. The sons were Sir William, Anthony, and Robert; the eldest, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Alice, sister of Sir Richard Molineux, a son Charles, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Edward Somerset, Marquis of Worcester.

Robert (2d L.) CHARLES succeeded his grandfather, and on the 2d of August, 1628, was created Viscount Ascot, and Earl of Caernarvon; and was slain at the Battle of Newberry, Sept. the 20th, 1643, leaving issue by Anna-Sophia, daughter to Philip Herbert, Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery,

(3d L.) CHARLES, his heir, who married first Elizabeth, daughter to Arthur Lord Capel, and by her had

two sons that died young, and two daughters; of which Elizabeth was married to Philip Earl of Chesterfield; and Isabella to Charles Earl of Montrath. He married 2dly Mary, daughter to Montague Earl of Lindsey; and dying on the 29th of November, 1709, without issue male, the Earldom became extinct: So that we return to

ANTHONY, second son of Robert the first Lord; who marrying Margaret, daughter to Sir Anthony Terringham, by her had four sons, and two daughters; one married to — Watſon; and the other to — Smith. Of the sons, which were

ROBERT, Anthony, John, and Francis, the eldest married —, daughter to — Eyres, Esq. and by her had a son Rowland, and a daughter Anne, first married to Edmund Powlet, Esq. and next to Sir John Curſon.

(4th L.) And the said ROWLAND, upon the death of Charles Earl of Caernarvon, ſucceeded to the title of Lord Dormer; but dying unmarried in 1712, and all his three uncles, the brothers of his father, without issue, we return to

ROBERT, third son of Robert the first Lord Dormer; who marrying Mary, ſiſter to Sir Edward Banaster, by her had eight ſons and ſix daughters; of which, three died young; Elizabeth, was married to — Webb, Esq. Mary, to John Roper, Esq. and Anne, to George Eyston, Esq. And of the ſons, which were Robert, Edward, James, Charles, John, William, Anthony, and Thomas,

CHARLES, the fourth, (by the death of his elder brothers) became heir to his father; and by Mary, daughter to — Cellier, Esq. had two ſons, Charles and Robert; of which, Robert married Frances, daughter to Windſor Finch, Esq. And the ſaid

(5th L.) CHARLES, his brother, who was heir, to his father, in 1712, ſucceeded the ſaid Rowland as Lord Dormer. He married first Catharine, daughter to — Fettyplace, Esq. by whom he had two ſons, Charles and John. His ſecond wife was Elizabeth, daughter to Richard Bidolph, Esq. by whom he had iſſue fourteen children, of which, four ſons and four daughters lived to maturity, viz. William, Robert, Joſeph, Francis, Anne, Elizabeth, Frances, and Mary; whereof Frances was married on the 4th of May, 1726, to William Plowden, Esq.

Esq. And his Lordship, dying on the 2d of July, 1728, was succeeded in honour and estate by

(6th L.) CHARLES, his eldest son; who died unmarried; March 7, 1761, and was succeeded by his brother,

(7th L.) JOHN, the present Lord.

CREATION.] June 30, 1615.

ARMS.] *Azure*, ten billets, four, three, two, and one; *or*; on a chief of the *second*, a demi-lion rampant, naissant, *fable*. [Plate XXV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a right-hand glove; *proper*; surmounted by a falcon, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two falcons, *argent*; armed, membered, and belled, *or*.

MOTTO.]

CHIEF SEATS.] At Peterly, in the county of Bucks; and Edsworth, in the county of Hants.

ROPER, LORD TEYNHAM.

THE Right Hon. HENRY ROPER, Lord TEYNHAM, succeeded his brother Philip in his honour and estate, June 1, 1727. He married in July 1733, Catharine, daughter of John Powel, of Sandford, in Oxfordshire, Esq. by which Lady, who died August 20, 1765, he had issue,

1. Henry, born May 7, 1733. He married Wilhelmina, daughter of Sir Francis Head, but she dying without issue, he married secondly, the widow of John Mills, Esq. of Woodford-Bridge in Essex, by whom he has had, 1. Betty-Maria, born August 7, 1761. 2. Catharine, born August 2, 1762. 3. Philip; died an infant. 4. Henry, born May 3, 1764.

2. John, born June 20, 1734. He married Anne Gabriella, daughter of Sir Francis Head, and widow of Moses Mendez, Esq. by whom he had one son, who died in infancy.

3. Christopher, died aged eleven years.

4. Francis, born January 25, 1738, married to Mary Littleton.

5. Philip, born October 13, 1739, married to Barbara Littleton.

6. Anthony, died an infant.

7. Catharine,

7. Catharine, born December 24, 1743, and married in May, 1773, to Thomas Mostyn, Esq. son of Sir George Mostyn, Bart.

8. Winifred, born Dec. 5, 1744.

9. Thomas, born Feb. 2, 1746.

His Lordship married his second wife, in March 1766, Anne, daughter of John Brinkhurst, Esq. which Lady died in Jan. 1771. His Lordship married to his 3d wife, in Oct. 1772, the widow of Thomas Davis, Esq.

In the reigns of Henry IV. and V. Edmund Roper, was a man of great repute; and John, his son, in the 11th of Henry VIII. was Sheriff of the county of Kent, and was father of another John, who married Jane, daughter to Sir John Fineux, and by her had a daughter Helen, married to Sir Edward Montagu; and two sons, of which, William, the eldest, married Margaret, daughter to the famous Sir Thomas More; and Christopher, the youngest, married Elizabeth, daughter to Christopher Blore, Esq. by whom he had

(1st L.) JOHN, his heir, who was created Baron of Teynham. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to John Parke, Esq. and, dying 1618, left

(2d L.) CHRISTOPHER, his heir, and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to George, son to William Lord Vaux; and Jane to Sir Robert Lovel; and the said Christopher, their brother, marrying Catharine, daughter to John le Bourne, Esq. by her had John, his heir, and William.

(3d L.) JOHN, who, in 1622, succeeded, by Mary, daughter to William Lord Petre, had three sons, and four daughters; Catharine, who died unmarried; Elizabeth, married to Sir John Arundel; Mary, a nun, and Margaret, who died young.

Of the sons, which were Christopher, Francis, and William, the latter died unmarried; Francis married Anne, daughter to William Walker, Esq. and

(4th L.) CHRISTOPHER, the eldest, in 1627, succeeded his father, and married first Mary, daughter to Sir Francis Englefield, by whom he had a son, John, who died before him, unmarried, and a daughter Francis, who was married to John Wildham; but, taking to his second wife, Philadelphia, daughter to Edward Knolles, Esq. by her he had Christopher, his heir, and Thomas.

(5th L.) CHRISTOPHER, who, in 1673, succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter to Francis Viscount Montagu; and by her had four sons and seven daughters; Elizabeth, Mary, Philadelphia, Winifred, Anne, Frances, and Catharine; whereof the latter was married to William Sheldon, Esq. Frances, to Rowland Bellafise, Esq. Winifred to Thomas Stoner, Esq. and Mary and Philadelphia were both nuns. Of the sons, which were

(6th L.) JOHN, Christopher, Henry, and Thomas, the eldest succeeded his father, and to him succeeded

(7th L.) CHRISTOPHER, his brother: But they both dying unmarried,

(8th L.) HENRY, the next brother, became heir. He married first Catharine, daughter to Philip Viscount Strangford, and by her, who died the 16th of April, 1711, had two sons, Philip and Henry, and a daughter, Elizabeth, married to Charles Jernegan, and died Nov. 14, 1756. He married secondly Mary, a daughter to Sir John Gage, by whom he had no issue. But by Anne, his third wife, second daughter to Thomas Lennard, Earl of Suffex, and widow of Richard-Lennard Barret, Esq. he had two sons; Charles, who married Miss Treverley, by whom he left several children, and died in 1755; Henry, a clergyman, married a daughter of William Chetwind, Esq. (which Lady died November 5, 1758) and a daughter Anne. Her Ladyship was in her own right Baroness Dacre. His Lordship dying on the 16th of May, 1723, was succeeded by

(9th L.) PHILIP, his eldest son, who dying on the 1st of June, 1727, unmarried, was succeeded by

(10th L.) HENRY, his brother, the present Lord.

CREATION.] July 9, 1616.

ARMS.] Party-per-fess, *azure* and *or*, a pale, and three roe bucks heads erased, counterchanged. [*Plate XXV.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, *sable*, holding a ducal coronet between his paws, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a buck, *or*. On the sinister, a tyger regardant, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Spes mea in Deo.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Linsted-Lodge, in the county of Kent.

MURRAY, BARONESS STRANGE.

THE Right Hon. CHARLOTTE MURRAY, Baroness STRANGE, of Knockyn, succeeded her father the late Duke of Athol, in this Barony, January 8, 1764. She married in Oct. 1753, John Murray, late Duke of Athol, by whom she has issue.

See the Duke of Athol in the Peerage of Scotland.

Arms, Supporters, &c. the same as the Duke of Athol.

L E I G H, L O R D L E I G H.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD LEIGH, Lord LEIGH, of Stoneley, and Baronet, born March 1, 1742, succeeded Thomas, late Lord Leigh, his father, Nov. 30, 1749.

The family of Leigh took their name from the Lordship of High-Leigh in the county of Chester, and was there seated before the Conquest, determining in one daughter, who was married to William Venables, 2d son of Sir William Venables, of Kinderton, she brought him that inheritance, and had a son JOHN, who took the name of Leigh, and was stiled Leigh of Booths.

Sir THOMAS LEIGH, in the first of Elizabeth, was Lord Mayor of London. He married Alice, daughter to — Barker, Esq. and by her had Rowland, Sir Thomas, and William, whose son Francis, in 1628, was created Lord Dunsmore; and in 1644, Earl of Chichester. But, having no issue male, the title of Earl of Chichester, &c. was extinct.

Sir THOMAS LEIGH, his father's brother, was created a Baronet. He married Catharine, daughter to Sir John Spencer, by whom he had Sir John Leigh, Knt. who dying in his father's life-time, left a son,

(1st L.) THOMAS, who succeeded his grandfather, and was created Lord Leigh of Stoneley. He married Mary, daughter to Sir Thomas Egerton, and by her had four sons and three daughters; of which, Elizabeth was married to John Lord Viscount Tracy; Vere, to Sir Justinian Isham; and Ursula to Sir William Bromley. And of the sons, which were Thomas, Charles, Ferdinand, and Christopher; the eldest died in his father's life-time, leaving issue, by Jane, daughter to Patrick Baron of Kerry, Thomas, his only son, and three daughters, Honora,

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Mary,

*was created E. of Chichester with remainder to the
of Southampton. Lt. Treas. who had married Elizabeth
daughter but he had only a daughter of the E. of Southampton*

Mary, and Jane; of which, the eldest was first married to Sir William Egerton, and after his decease, to Hugh Lord Willoughby of Parham; Mary to Arden Bagot, Esq. and Jane, to William Viscount Tracy. And the said

(2d L.) THOMAS, their brother, who succeeded his grandfather, and died in Nov. 1710, marrying Eleanor, *eldest* daughter to Edward Watson ^{2d Lord} ~~Baron~~ of Rockingham, by her had four sons and four daughters; of which Eleanor, the youngest, married to Thomas Verney, Esq. and Anne, died in September 1734: And of the sons, Charles, the youngest, who married the Lady Barbara, sister to the Earl of Scarborough, died July 28, 1749, and his Lady died Jan. 4, 1755; and

(3d L.) EDWARD, in 1710, succeeded his father. He married Mary, daughter to Thomas Holbeck, Esq. and by her, who died in September 1743, had issue two sons, Edward, who died in his father's life-time, in August 1737, and Thomas, his successor, and one daughter; and dying March 1738, was succeeded by

(4th L.) THOMAS, his only surviving son. He married first Maria-Rebecca, daughter of John Craven, Esq. who died on December 6, 1746, by whom he had issue, 1. Thomas, who died young; 2. Another Thomas, who died in 1741; 3. Edward, now Lord Leigh; 4. Mary: He married in December 1747, to his second wife, Catharine, daughter of Rowland Berkeley, Esq. by whom he left a daughter Anne, born October 28, 1748; and dying November 30, 1749, was succeeded by his only son,

(5th L.) EDWARD, now Lord Leigh.

CREATION.] July 1, 1643.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a cross engrailed, *argent*, a lozenge in the dexter chief, of the *second*. [Plate XXVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, an unicorn's head erased, *argent*; armed and mained, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *argent*; armed and mained, *or*.

MOTTO.]

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stoneley Abbey in Warwickshire; and at Fletchemstead, in the same county.

B Y R O N , L O R D B Y R O N .

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM BYRON, Lord BYRON of Rochdale, born November 5, 1722, succeeded William, late Lord Byron, his father, Aug. 8, 1736. and married March 28, 1747, Elizabeth, only daughter and sole heiress of Charles Shaw, Esq. of the county of Norfolk, by whom he had, 1. William, born October 27, 1748, died June 24, 1776. 2. Caroline.

Sir JOHN Byron, Knight of the Bath, married Anne, sister to Richard the first Viscount Molineux, and by her had

(1st L.) Sir JOHN Byron, who was created Baron Byron, with limitation to every of his six brothers, Richard, William, Thomas, Robert, Gilbert, and Philip, and their heirs.

He married first Cicely, daughter to Thomas Lord Delawar; and afterwards, in 1644, Eleanor, daughter to Robert Viscount Kilmorey, widow of Peter Warburton, Esq. but dying in 1652, without issue by either,

(2d L.) RICHARD, his next brother, became heir; who, by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir George Booth, had no issue; but by his first, who was Elizabeth, daughter to George Rosel, Esq. he had William, his heir, and a daughter Catharine, married to Sir William Stanhope.

(3d L.) WILLIAM, who succeeded, married to his second wife Elizabeth, daughter to Sir George Stonehouse, by whom he had no issue; but by his first, who was Elizabeth, daughter to John Viscount Chaworth, he had five sons and five daughters, Elizabeth, Catherine, Mary, Anne, and Juliana; whereof, Catharine was married to Arthur Cole, Lord Ranelagh; and the rest died unmarried; as did all the sons, except

(4th L.) WILLIAM, who in 1695, succeeded his father, and married first Mary, daughter to John Earl of Bridgewater, who dying April 12, 1703, he took to his second wife the Lady Frances-Wilhelmina, daughter to William, Earl of Portland, and by her, who died the 31st of March, 1712, had three sons and one daughter, viz. George, William, William-Henry, and Frances, who all died young; but his Lordship taking to his third wife Frances, daughter to William Lord Berkeley of Stratton, by her

(who, in August 1740, married Sir Thomas Hay) had five sons, William, now Lord Byron, born November 5, 1722; John, born November 8, 1743, a captain in the navy, married in August, 1748, to Miss Trevanion; Richard, born Oct. 28, 1724, married in 1768, to Miss Farmer; Charles, born April 6, 1726, and died May 16, 1721; George, born April 22, 1730, married Miss Lovett, and a daughter Isabella, born November 10, 1721, married to Henry Earl of Carlisle, and after his death, to Sir William Musgrave. And their father dying Aug. 8, 1736, was succeeded by

(5th L.) WILLIAM, his eldest son, now Lord Byron.

CREATION.] Baron Byron, October 24, 1643.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three bendlets enhanced, *gules*.
[Plate XXVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mermaid, with her comb and mirror, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two horses, *chestnut*.

MOTTO.] *Crede Biron*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Newstead-Abbey, and Bullwell-Park, in Nottinghamshire.

LANGDALE, LORD LANGDALE.

THE Right Hon. MARMADUKE LANGDALE, Lord LANGDALE, succeeded his father, the late Lord, January 9, 1771. He married Constantia, daughter of the late Sir John Smyth, of Acton Burnel, in Shropshire, Bart. by whom he has issue, 1. Marmaduke. 2. Elizabeth. 3. Mary. 4. Apollonia.

This family derive their surname from the town of Langdale, in the county of York, of which they were Lords in the reign of Richard I.

ANTHONY LANGDALE died in 1577, having married Joan, daughter to Thomas Vavasor, and by her had a son Peter, who succeeded him, and marrying Anne, daughter to Michael Wharton, Esq. had issue,

oh. 1661 (1st L.) Sir MARMADUKE Langdale, who was created Baron Langdale.

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He married Lenox, daughter to Sir John Rhodes, and had two sons, Marmaduke and Philip, and two daughters, Lenox and Mary; whereof

(2d L.) MARMADUKE, the eldest, in 1661, succeeded his father. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Savage, Esq. and had Marmaduke, his heir, and two daughters; Jane married to Michael Amne, Esq. and Elizabeth to Hugh Smithson, Esq. And

(3d L.) MARMADUKR, who (in 1702) succeeded his father, marrying Frances, daughter to Richard Draycote, was father of another Marmaduke, and two daughters; whereof, Elizabeth was married to Peter Middleton, Esq. and Frances to Nicholas Blundell, Esq. And the said

(4th L.) MARMADUKE, her brother, who on the 12th of December, 1718, succeeded his father married Elizabeth, youngest daughter to William Lord Widrington, and by her (who died on January 7, 1765) had, 1. Marmaduke. 2. Dorothy, married to Sir Walter Vavasor, of Haselwood in Yorkshire, Bart. 3. Elizabeth, who is unmarried. And his Lordship deceasing January 9, 1771, was succeeded by his son

(5th L.) MARMADUKE, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Langdale, Feb. 4, 1657.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a chevron between three estoils, *argent*. [Plate XXVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a star, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two bulls, *sable*, armed, crested, and unguled, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Post tenebras lucem*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Holme in Spaldingmore, and Dalton, both in Yorkshire.

C R A V E N , L O R D C R A V E N .

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM CRAVEN, Lord CRAVEN, succeeded his uncle, the late Lord, March 18, 1769; he married May 10, 1767, Lady Elizabeth, daughter of Augustus Earl of Berkeley, by whom he has issue a daughter Elizabeth, born April 20, 1768.

This family was anciently seated at Appletreewick, in the county of York. John Craven, Esq. who lived in the reigns of Henry VII. and VIII. had issue three sons,

Henry, (of whom hereafter) William, and Anthony; of which, William married Beatrix, daughter of John Hunter, and had issue Sir William Craven, who, in 1611, was Lord Mayor of London; and marrying Elizabeth, daughter to William Whitmore, by her had two daughters; Mary, who was married to Thomas Lord Coventry, and Elizabeth, to Percy Herbert, Lord Powis; and

1st Earl (1st L.) WILLIAM, his heir, who in 1626, was created Lord Craven of Hempsted-Marshall, with remainder to John and Thomas, his brothers; the elder, who in the 18th of Charles I. was created Lord Craven of Ryton, in the county of Salop, married Elizabeth, daughter of William Lord Spencer, and died without issue, as did Thomas, his brother; and the said William, Lord Craven was advanced to the dignity of Viscount and Earl of Craven, in the county of York, and died on April 19, 1687: And, because both his brothers were dead without issue, the title of Lord Craven of Hempsted-Marshall, for want of issue male of his own body, was then also limited to Sir William Craven of Lenchwick, and Sir Anthony, his brother; and in failure of issue by them, the said title, in 1665, was granted to Sir William Craven, of Combe. Henry, eldest son to John Craven, first-mentioned, by his first wife, Mrs. Sherwood, had three sons, William and Thomas, who died without issue, and Robert, who married Mary Brockden, by whom he had, 1. Henry, who died without issue. 2. Sir William of Lenchwick, to whom the Barony was limited. He married Mary, daughter of Ferdinand Lord Fairfax, and left an only daughter Elizabeth, married to Theophilus Leigh, Esq. 3. Sir Thomas. 4. and 5. Robert and John who died unmarried. 6. Sir Anthony. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Baron Polnitz in Germany, and died in 1670, without issue. 7. A daughter Margaret, married to Thomas Craven.

Sir THOMAS, the third son of Robert, married Anne, daughter of Francis Proctor, and dying in 1682, left issue Sir William Craven of Combe, to whom the title was limited in 1665, and three daughters, Mary, married to Sir Edmund Andros; Alice to William Topham, and Margaret to Christopher Dawson, Esq. Sir William dying before the honour descended to him, left issue by Mary, daughter to Sir Christopher Clapham, eight sons and

and five daughters; Margaret, Mary, Martha, Elizabeth, and Anne. The sons were

(2d L.) WILLIAM, who, by virtue of the last limitation, succeeded to the title; 2. Thomas, who died young; 3. John, who was born on November 23, 1673, and died on January 1, 1727, having had issue by his wife Maria-Rebecca, daughter of Henry Green, six sons and two daughters, viz. William, late Lord Craven, John, who married Miss Hickes, and by her had one son William, the present Lord, and two daughters, Jane, and Anna-Rebecca, Henry, Basil, and Robert, who died unmarried, Thomas, a Capt. in the navy; Dorothy, who died unmarried, and Maria-Rebecca, married to Thomas, 4th Lord Leigh; 4. Robert, who died in 1710; 5. Christopher, died unmarried; 6. Anthony, who died an infant; 7. Henry; 8. Charles, who died December 26, 1754. He married Elizabeth, daughter of — Staples, Esq. and by her (who in October 1755, married Jemmet Raymond, Esq.) had issue three sons, Charles, John, and Robert; William, who was the second Lord, married Elizabeth, daughter to Humberston Skipwith, Esq. and dying on the 9th of Oct. 1711, by her, who died May 16, 1704, left three sons,

(3d L.) WILLIAM, Fulwar, and Robert; of which the youngest died unmarried: and the eldest succeeded to the title of Lord Craven; and, in June 1721, married Anne, only daughter to Frederick Tilney, Esq. and by her (who died on the 5th of February 1730, in the 26th year of her age) had an only daughter, who died on the 21st of Nov. 1725. He dying in Aug. 1739, was succeeded by his only brother,

(4th L.) FULWAR, the late Lord, who deceasing on Nov. 10, 1764, without issue, was succeeded by

(5th L.) WILLIAM, eldest son of John Craven, Esq. brother to William, 2d Lord Craven, and 3d son of Sir William Craven, by his wife Mary, daughter of Sir Christopher Clapham, as before recited. He married Jane, daughter of Howard Berkeley, Esq. and deceasing March 13, 1769, was succeeded by his nephew,

(6th L.) WILLIAM, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Lord Craven of Hampsted-Marshal in the county of Berks, Dec. 11, 1665, the 17th of Charles II.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a fess between six cross crosslets, fitchy, *gules*. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a gryphon of the *second*, beaked *or*.

SYMPORTERS.] Two gryphons, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Virtus in actione consistit.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Comb-Abbey in Warwickshire; and Hampsted-Marshall, in the county of Berks.

CLIFFORD, LORD CLIFFORD OF
CHUDLEIGH.

THE Right Honourable HUGH CLIFFORD, Lord CLIFFORD of Chudleigh, born Sep. 29, 1726, succeeded Hugh his father, late Lord Clifford, March 25, 1732; and married Lady Anne Lee, daughter of George-Henry Lee, late Earl of Litchfield, December 17, 1749, by whom he has issue, 1. Frances, born Oct. 7, 1752. 2. Anne-Elizabeth-Maria, born May 17, 1754. 3. Mary-Anne, born May 24, 1755. 4. Hugh-Edward-Henry, born July 2, 1756. 5. Charles, born Nov. 28, 1759. 6. Robert, born Oct. 16, 1767. 7. Charlotte, born Feb. 1, 1773. 8. Thomas, born December 5, 1774.

The descent of this noble family may be found under the title of Southwell Clifford, Baron Clifford; Thomas, who was the tenth Lord, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Lord Roos, left issue John, from whom descended Margaret, late Baroness Clifford; Sir William, who married Anne, daughter of Thomas Lord Bardolph, died without issue; and Sir Lewis, from whom descended the Lord Clifford of Chudleigh, who by Eleanor, his wife, had a son William, and a daughter, married to Sir Philip la Vache. William, only son of Sir Lewis, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Arnold Savage, and widow of Sir Reginald Cobham, by whom he had two sons, 1. Lewis, who died in the life-time of his father, and left by Anne, daughter of the Lord Molins, Alexander. 2. John, who married Florentia, daughter to Sir John St. Leger, Esq. and had Thomas, his heir, who married Thomazine, daughter to John Thorpe, and had issue William, who by Elizabeth Vaux, had Henry, his heir, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter of William Carrant, left Anthony, his heir: He married Anne, daughter to Sir Peter Courtenay, of Ugbrook in the parish of Chudleigh,
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in the county of Devon, by whom he had issue three sons, 1. Henry, whose issue is extinct; 2. William, had no issue; 3. Thomas, died in September, 1634, leaving by Amy, daughter of Hugh Stephehill, two sons, Hugh and Thomas; of which the eldest married Mary, daughter of Sir George Chudleigh, by whom he had issue Sir Thomas and George, and died in 1639. Of his sons, George the youngest, married Elizabeth, daughter of George Price, Esq. and had issue, George, his heir, Elizabeth, and Margaret.

(1st L.) Sir THOMAS, the eldest son of Hugh, was created Lord Clifford of Chudleigh, and in 1672, Lord High Treasurer.

He married Elizabeth, daughter to William Martin, Esq. and (besides other children, which died young) had three sons and three daughters; whereof, Elizabeth was married to Sir Henry Carew; Amy, to John Courtenay, Esq. and Mary to Sir Simon Leach. And of the sons, who were,

(2d L.) HUGH, Simon, and Charles, the eldest, in 1673, succeeded his father. He married Anne, daughter to Sir Thomas Preston, and by her, who died in July 1734, had nine sons and six daughters; Elizabeth, married first to William Constable, Viscount Dunbar, and and secondly to Charles Gregory Viscount Fairfax; Catharine, and Mary; Anne, was married to George Cary, Esq. Amy, to Cuthbert Constable; and Preston. Of the sons, which were Francis, Thomas, Francis, William, George, Charles, Hugh, Henry, and Lewis-Walter; Charles, George, William, and the first Francis died in their infancy; Thomas, the second, who was born in 1687, married Charlotte Countess of Newburgh, and by her, who afterwards married Charles Radcliffe, Esq. brother to the Earl of Derwentwater, and died in August, 1755, left issue two daughters, the Ladies Frances and Anne; the second Francis, Henry, and Lewis-Walter died unmarried; and on the 13th of Oct. 1730,

(3d L.) HUGH succeeded his father: He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Blunt, Esq. by Arabella, daughter of Sir John Guise, of Rendcomb in Gloucestershire, by whom he had issue four sons, viz. Hugh, now Lord Clifford, born September 29, 1726; Edward,

²Edward, born December 31, 1727; Henry, who died an infant; and Thomas, born after his decease, August 22, 1732, who on Feb. 2, 1762, married Barbara, daughter and coheir of James Lord Aston, and by her has, 1. Thomas-Hugh, born December 4, 1762. 2. Edward-James, born June 14, 1766, died an infant. 3. Henry, born March 2, 1768. 4. Walter, born March 13, 1773. 5. James-Francis, born Aug. 16, 1774. 6. Barbara-Elizabeth, born November 11, 1763. 7. Mary, born March 31, 1765. 8. Anne, born April 28, 1779. 9. Lucy-Bridget, born July 19, 1771. 10. Constantia, born Feb. 24, 1776. His Lordship, dying March 26, 1732, was succeeded by

(4th L.) HUGH, his eldest son, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Clifford of Chudleigh, April 22, 1672.

ARMS.] *Chequé, or and azure; a fess, gules, a crescent for difference.* [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a wyvern rising, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wyverns, *gules*, with wings expanded, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Semper paratus.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ugbrook, near Chudleigh in Devonshire; at Cannington, near Bridgwater, in the county of Somerset.

B O Y L E, L O R D B O Y L E.

THE Right Honourable EDMUND BOYLE, Lord Boyle of Marston in the county of Somerset, and also Earl of Corke and Orrery in Ireland, succeeded, his brother Hamilton Jan. 17, 1764.

For the account of this family see the Earl of Corke and Orrery, in the peerage of Ireland.

H A Y, L O R D H A Y.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS HAY, Lord HAY, of Pedwarden, Viscount Dupplin and Earl of Kinnoul in Scotland, succeeded his father George-Henry, July 29, 1758.

For the account of this family see the Earl of Kinnoul, in the peerage of Scotland,

WILLOUGHBY, LORD MIDDLETON.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, Lord MIDDLETON, of Middleton, and Baronet, born Jan. 26, 1716, succeeded his brother Francis, the late Lord, Dec. 15, 1774.

This noble family is descended from Sir John de Willoughby, a Norman Knight, who had the Lordship of Willoughby in Lincolnshire by gift, from William the Conqueror, from whom descended maternally the Lords Willoughby de Broke and Parham. Of this latter family, Sir Christopher Willoughby, marrying Margery, daughter of Sir William Jennens, had five sons; of which Thomas, the youngest, marrying Bridget, daughter to Sir Robert Read, had Robert, his heir, who married Dorothy, daughter to Sir Edward Willoughby of Wollaton, and by her had a son Thomas, who marrying Catherine, daughter to Sir Percival Hart, by her had seven sons, and three daughters; whereof, Sir Percival succeeded him, and married Bridget, daughter to Sir Francis Willoughby, and by her had Francis, his heir, whose wife was the Lady Cassandra, daughter to Thomas Ridgeway, Earl of Londonderry, and by her he was father of another Francis, and two daughters; Lettice, married to Sir Thomas Wendy; and Catharine, to Clement Winstanley, Esq. And Francis, their brother, married Emma, daughter to Sir Henry Bernard, and, dying July 3, 1672, by her, who afterwards married Sir Josiah Child, left two sons, Francis, his heir, and Thomas, and a daughter Cassandra, who was the second wife of James Duke of Chandos. And the said Francis, who in 1677, was created a Baronet, dying in 1688, unmarried.

2. B. (1st L.) THOMAS, his brother, succeeded, and was created Lord Middleton. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Richard Rothwell, by whom he had four sons, Francis, Thomas, Rothwell, and Henry, and died on the 2d of April, 1729.

Of the sons, Thomas, the second, married Elizabeth, sole daughter to Thomas Southby, Esq. by her he had one son and one daughter; and Henry died unmarried.

(2d L.) FRANCIS, the eldest brother, succeeded his father. On the 25th of July, 1723, he was married to Mary, daughter to Thomas Edwards, Esq. by which Lady, who died March 12, 1762, he had, 1. Francis, the late Lord. 2. Thomas, the present Lord. 3. Emma, died young. And his Lordship dying August 4, 1758, was succeeded by his son,

(3d L.) FRANCIS, who died without issue, in Dec. 1774, and was succeeded by his brother,

(4th L.) THOMAS, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Created Baronet, April 7, 1677, the 29th of Car. II. and Lord Middleton of Middleton in the county of Warwick, December 31, 1711, the 10th of Q. Anne.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, fretty, *azure*, for Willoughby of Parham and Eresby. Second and third, *or*, on two bars, *gules*, three water bougets, *argent*, for Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the bust of a man, couped and affrontée, *proper*, crowned ducally, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a pilgrim, or grey-frier, in his habit, *proper*, with his beads, cross, &c. and a staff in his right hand, *or*. On the sinister, a savage with a club in his exterior hand, wreathed about the temples and middle with ivy, all *proper*; each supporter holding a banner, *gules*, fringed, *or*; ensigned with an owl, *argent*; crowned, ducally collared, and chained, *or*; the owl being the crest of Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton.

MOTTO.] *Verité sans peur*, and *En bon Espoir*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Wollaton-Hall, in Nottinghamshire; and at Middleton, in the county of Warwick.

O N S L O W, L O R D O N S L O W.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE ONSLOW, Baron ONSLOW and CRANLEY, was created Lord Cranley of Ember-Court in Surry, May 14, 1776, and succeeded as Lord Onslow, on the death of the late Lord, Oct. 9, 1776. He married in 1753, Harriot, daughter of Sir John Shelley, Bart. by whom he has two sons, Thomas married to Miss Elliker, Dec. 23, 1776, and John.

This family took their surname from the town of Onslow, in the county of Salop. Roger de Onslow, had two sons; Thomas, who died without issue; and William, his heir, who had two sons, Richard and Thomas; the former having a son Thomas, who died unmarried, and was succeeded by Thomas, his uncle, who lived in the time of Edward III. and he having five sons, John, the eldest, by Margaret, daughter of Madoc Kinaston, had two sons, Thomas, who died without issue, and Robert, who married Catharine, daughter of Richard Corbet, and had issue Edward, his heir, who married Anne, daughter and heir to Richard Houghton, and by her had four sons; Roger, the second son, married Margaret, daughter to Thomas Poyner, and by her had Richard and Fulk. Richard was Solicitor-General to Queen Anne, in whose reign he was Speaker of the House of Commons, and marrying Catharine, daughter to Richard Harding, Esq. had issue two sons and several daughters; whereof Margaret was married to Richard Threll; Cecily, to Sir Humphry Winch; and Elizabeth to Richard Hill. And of the sons, Robert, the eldest succeeded his father; but dying unmarried, Edward, his brother, became heir. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Thomas Shirley, and left two sons and three daughters; of whom Jane, the second, married Gerard Aungier, Lord Longford. And of the sons, Thomas, the eldest, married Mary, daughter to Sir Samuel Lennard; but dying without issue, Richard, his brother, succeeded.

He married Elizabeth, daughter to Arthur Strangeways, Esq. by whom he had fourteen children; whereof six sons and five daughters lived to maturity; Anne, was married to Sir Anthony Shirley; Catharine to Sir Thomas Cobb; Mary to Sir George Freeman; Jane to Sir George Croke; and

and Elizabeth, first to John Berney, and secondly to Sir Francis Wyndham. Of the sons, Arthur, the eldest, succeeded his father. Henry the second son, married a daughter of Sir Richard Stidolph, widow of — Yates, Esq. by whom he had a son Richard, and a daughter; which Richard left issue several daughters, and one son Denzil. Richard the third son, married Mary, daughter of Sir Abraham Reynardson, but died without issue. Thomas and John, fourth and fifth sons, died unmarried. And Denzil the youngest married Sarah, daughter to Sir Thomas Foot, widow of Sir John Lewis, and died in 1721, without issue. And Richard, their father, died on the 19th of May, 1664.

ARTHUR married to his first wife, Rose, daughter to Sir Laurence Stoughton, who died without leaving him any surviving issue; but taking to his second, Mary, second daughter of Sir Thomas Foot, by her had four sons; Richard, his heir; Foot, second son; Arthur, and Henry, both died unmarried. Foot died May 11, 1710. He married Sufunna, daughter of Thomas Anlaby, widow of Arnold Colwell, Esq. by whom he had issue, 1. Arthur, Speaker of the House of Commons, in the 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th Parliaments. He married Anne, niece of Henry Bridges, of Ember-Court in Surry, Esq. (which Lady died in June, 1766) by whom he had one son George, the present Lord. Richard, brother of the said Arthur, died in March 1760. He married Rose Bridges, sister of the aforesaid Anne; but she dying without issue, he married secondly Miss Pooley Walton, niece of Sir George Walton, by whom he had three sons, George, Richard, and Arthur, and a daughter Elizabeth.

We now return to Richard, eldest son of Arthur, which (1st L.) RICHARD, was Speaker of the House of Commons in 1708, and on June 25, 1716, he was created Lord Onslow, with limitation, for want of issue of his body, to his uncle Denzil, and the issue male of his body, and in default to the heirs male of Sir Arthur, father of the said Sir Richard; but died on the 5th of December, 1717.

He married the daughter of Sir Henry Tulse, and by her had two sons and two daughters; whereof Elizabeth was first married to Thomas Middleton, by whom he left
five

five daughters, his coheirs, of which Elizabeth married John, the second Viscount Moleworth; and secondly to Samuel Baldwin, Esq. who died in June 1736; and Mary his other daughter, married Sir John Williams. And of the sons, who were

(2d L.) THOMAS and Richard; the latter died young, and the eldest succeeded his father, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Mr. Knight, by her (who died in April, 1731) had a son Richard, born in the year 1713. His Lordship dying in June, 1740, was succeeded by his said son,

(3d L.) RICHARD, who May 16, 1741, married Mary, daughter to Sir Edmund Elwill, and dying October 8, 1776, was succeeded by

(4th L.) GEORGE, Lord Cranley, who is now Lord Onslow and Cranley.

CREATIONS.] Baronet, Nov. 21, 1660, the 12th of Char. II. and Baron Onslow of Onslow in the county of Salop, and of West-Clandon in the county of Surry, June 25, 1716, the 2d of Geo. II. and Baron Cranley, May 14, 1776.

ARMS.] *Argent, a fess, gules, between six Cornish choughs, proper.* [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a falcon, *proper*; legged and belled, *or*; feeding on a partridge, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two falcons, *proper*; legged and belled, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Semper fidelis, laudo manentem.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At West-Clandon, and Ember-Court, in Surry.

MARSHAM, LORD ROMNEY.

THE Right Honourable ROBERT MARSHAM, Lord ROMNEY, succeeded his father, the late Lord Romney, Nov. 28, 1724, and married Miss Priscilla Pym, of the islands of St. Kitt's, by whom he has had issue,

1. Robert, born in May, 1743, and died in November, 1762. 2. Charles, born Sept. 28, 1744, married Aug. 16, 1776, to Lady Frances, daughter of the late Earl of Egremont. 3. John, died young. 4. Shovell, died young. 5. Jacob, born Feb. 28, 1759. 6. Priscilla, born Dec. 20, 1754. 7. Elizabeth, born Feb. 9, 1751.

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8. Frances, born April 2, 1755. 9. Harriot, died young.
10. Charlotte, born Nov. 12, 1761.

THOMAS MARSHAM, in the reign of King James I. was Alderman of London; and in 1625, Sir John, his son, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Hammond, two sons, Sir John and Sir Robert.

Sir JOHN, dying unmarried, Sir ROBERT, his brother, became heir, and dying July 15, 1703, was succeeded by

(1st L.) Sir ROBERT, his son, who, by King George I. was created a Peer. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Cloudefley Shovell, and by her (who in Sept. 1732, married the Earl of Hyndford, and died in November, 1750) left Robert, his heir, and two daughters; Elizabeth, married in May, 1741, to Sir Jacob Bouverie, afterwards Earl of Radnor, and Harriot. And his Lordship dying November 28, 1724, was succeeded by his only son,

(2d L.) ROBERT, now Lord Romney.

CREATIONS.] Baronet, Aug. 22, 1663, the 15th of Char. II. and Baron Romney, in the county of Kent, June 25, 1716, and 2d of Geo. I.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a lion passant in bend, *gules*, between two bendlets, *azure*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion's head erased, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *azure*; femée of crosses crosets and ducally gorged, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Non sibi, sed Patriæ.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At the Mote near Maidstone in Kent, and at Cuxton in the same county.

C A D O G A N, L O R D C A D O G A N.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES SLOAN CADOGAN, Lord CADOGAN, born October 29, 1728, succeeded his father Charles, the late Lord, Sept. 24, 1776. He married in 1747, Frances, daughter of the late Lord Montfort, by which Lady, who died in May, 1768, he had issue,
1. Charles-Henry, born Dec. 19, 1749. 2. William-Bromley, born January 22, 1751. 3. Thomas, born Feb. 7, 1752. 4. George, born Dec. 1, 1754. 5. Edward, born Dec. 12, 1758. 6. Henry-William, born March 25, 1761, died August 4, 1774. His Lordship married secondly, August 10, 1777, Miss Churchill.

Of

Of this family, who derive their descent from the British Princes of Ferliu and Powis, was William Cadogan, of Toestry-vach in the county of Monmouth, Esq. whose second son Henry, was seated at Llanbeder; and he marrying Catherine, daughter to Thomas Stradling, son of Robert, younger brother to Sir Thomas Stradling of the Castle of St. Donet, by her had William Cadogan, Esq. born Feb. 5, 1601; to him succeeded Henry, his son, who married Bridget, daughter to Sir Hardress Waller, Kt. and by her had two sons and a daughter, Penelope, married to Sir Thomas Prendergast. And of the sons, who were William and Charles, the eldest succeeded his father.

(1st L.) Which WILLIAM, by George I. was created Baron of Reading, and April 17, 1718, was advanced to the dignity of Baron of Oakley, Viscount Caversham, and Earl of Cadogan. He married Margaretta-Cecilia, daughter of William Munter, Counsellor of Holland, and by her (who died at the Hague in August 1750) had two daughters; the Lady Sarah, married to Charles Duke of Richmond, and the Lady Margaret to Charles John Bentinck, Esq. but the said Earl their father, having no issue male, the titles of Baron of Reading, Viscount Caversham, and Earl of Cadogan, became extinct, and the Barony of Oakley descended to

(2d L.) CHARLES, his brother, who married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Hans Sloan, Bart. and by her had an only son Charles-Sloan Cadogan. And his Lordship deceasing Sept. 24, 1776, was succeeded by his only son,

(3d L.) CHARLES-SLOAN, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Oakley, in the county of Bucks, April 7, 1718, the 4th of Geo. I.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *gules*, a lion rampant regardant, *or*; second and third, *argent*, three boars heads couped; *sable*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a gryphon's head, *vert*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion regardant, *or*; on the sinister, a gryphon regardant, *vert*; each gorged with a double tressure, flowered and counter-flowered, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Qui invidet minor est.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Caversham in Oxfordshire.



K I N G, L O R D K I N G.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS KING, Lord KING, Baron of Ockham, succeeded his brother William, April 15, 1767; he married Wilhelmina-Catharine, daughter of Johan Troye, of Brabant, by whom he has issue, 1. Peter, born October 6, 1736, married Dec. 8, 1774, Charlotte, daughter of Edward Tedcroft, Esq. 2. Thomas, born April 11, 1740. 3. Anne, born Jan. 10, 1735. 4. Wilhelmina, born March 4, 1738.

Peter King, Esq. on the 1st of June, 1725, was made Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, and died July 22, 1734. He married Anne, daughter of Richard Seys, Esq. and had four sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, who died in 1749, and Anne, who died in 1751. And of the sons, who were

(2d. L.) JOHN, the late Lord, Peter, William, and Thomas. The eldest married in May, 1726, Elizabeth, daughter to Robert Fry, Esq. but she died January 28, 1734, without issue, and his Lordship died also, the 19th of February, 1740. Whereupon the honour and estate descended to

(3d. L.) PETER, his brother, who, dying unmarried in March, 1754, was succeeded by his brother,

(4th L.) WILLIAM, who died unmarried, April 15, 1767, and was succeeded by his brother,

(5th L.) THOMAS, the present Lord.

CREATION.] May 27, 1725, 11 George II.

ARMS.] *Sable*, three spears heads erect, *argent*, embowed, *gules*; on a chief, *or*, as many pole-axes, *azure*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dexter arm, couped below the elbow, and erect, habited, *azure*, and thereon three spots, *or*, turned down, *argent*; the hand, *proper*, grasping a truncheon, *sable*, the top broken off, and the bottom enamelled of the *second*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two English mastiffs reguardant, *proper*, each having a plain collar, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Labor ipse voluptas*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Ockham, in the county of Surry.

MONSON, LORD MONSON.

THE Right Honourable JOHN MONSON, Lord MONSON, and Baronet, succeeded John, his father, the late Lord, July 20, 1774. His Lordship was born May 25, 1753, and married July 13, 1777, Lady Elizabeth Capel, daughter of the Earl of Essex.

This noble Lord is descended from JOHN MONSON, who in the year 1378, was seated at Overfley in the county of Lincoln, and had a son, JOHN, who was an eminent merchant of the Staple; and JOHN, his son, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Hansard, by her had Sir JOHN, who married first, Beatrix, daughter to — Thurst, by whom he had Thomas, who died without issue male; but by his second wife, Dorothy, daughter to — Meere, of the Marsh, he had three sons, William, Robert, and George.

WILLIAM, the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Robert Tyrwhit, and dying on the 15th of October, 1558, left

JOHN, his heir, who married Mary, daughter to Sir Robert Hussey, and had four sons and two daughters: Of the sons, who were Robert, John, George, and William, the third by Eleanor, his wife, daughter and coheir to — Fermer, left two sons, Robert and George; but Robert, his eldest brother, dying without issue,

Sir JOHN, the second, became heir, and married Anne, daughter to Robert Dighton, Esq. and dying on the 20th of December, 1593, left five sons; John, who died without issue; Sir Thomas, Sir William, Sir Robert, and Anthony. Sir Robert, (fourth son) left issue five daughters; Jane, married to Roger Molineux, Esq. Catharine, to John Povey, Esq. Anne, to Arthur Redhead, Esq. Sarah, to Sir Vincent Corbet, and was created (for life) Viscountess Corbet, October 23, 1679, and Mary, to Molineux Disney, Esq. Anthony, (fifth son) by Faith, daughter of Robert Smith, had five sons, (of which, John, the eldest, left issue) also several daughters, whereof Jane, married John Osbaldiston, Esq.

(1st. B.) Sir THOMAS MONSON, (eldest son of Sir John) married Anne, daughter to Sir Edmund Anderson, and by her had two sons, who lived to maturity, and three daughters; Bridget, was married to Sir John Read; Elizabeth, to Sapcot, Viscount Beaumont, and Magdalen, to Tho-

mas Cotton, Esq. Of the sons, who were Sir John and Sir William, the latter was, by King Charles I. created Viscount Castlemain, in Ireland. He married first, Margaret, daughter to James Stewart, Earl of Murray, widow of Charles Howard, Earl of Nottingham; secondly, Frances, sister to Sir Thomas Alston, (by whom he had Alston Monson, Esq.) and his third wife was Elizabeth, daughter to Sir George Reresby, widow of Sir Frances Foljamb, and also of Captain Horner.

(2d. B.) Sir JOHN, eldest son of Sir Thomas, married Ursula, daughter to Sir Robert Oxenbridge, (by Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Henry Cock, of Broxburn, in the county of Hertford) and with her had the manor of Broxburn, &c. and died in 1683. He had issue, Sir JOHN, his only son, who died in his father's Life-time, October 14, 1674. He married Judith, daughter to Sir Thomas Pelham, and by her had ten sons (of which five lived to maturity) and a daughter, Bridget, married to Sir Charles Barrington, Bt.

only (3d B.) Sir HENRY, the eldest, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to William Chyne, Viscount Newhaven, in Scotland, by Gertrude, *sister to Robert, the third Earl of Kingston,* and dying on the 6th of April, 1718, without issue,

(4th B.) Sir WILLIAM, his next brother, became heir. He married Letitia, daughter to John Lord Poulett, and dying on the 9th of March, 1727, without issue also, we come to George, the youngest of the five brothers, who, by Annie, daughter to Charles Wren, Esq. had issue five sons. 1. John. 2. George, who died unmarried, July 7, 1739. 3. Charles, who died unmarried, August 26, 1764. 4. Henry, his Majesty's Professor of Civil Law in the University of Cambridge. 5. William, died unmarried.

(1st L.) JOHN, the eldest, succeeded his uncle, and was created Lord Monson. He married the Lady Margaret Watson, daughter to Lewis, late Earl of Rockingham, and by her, who died in February, 1752, he had three sons; 1. John, late Lord Monson. 2. Lewis, created Lord Sondes. 3. George, born April 16, 1730, died in 1777. And his Lordship dying in July, 1748, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d L.) JOHN, who married in June, 1752, Theodosia, daughter of John Maddison, Esq. by whom he had issue,
1. John,

1. John, the present Lord. 2. George-Henry, born October 17, 1755. 3. Evelyn-Tyrwhit, died young. 4. Charles, born March 11, 1758. 5. William, born December 15, 1760. 6. Thomas, born May 10, 1764. 7. Catharine, born September 12, 1754, married to Henry Peirse, Esq. 8. Charlotte-Grace, born March 29, 1759. 9. Theodosia-Margaret, born Sept. 20, 1762. 10. Harriot-Anne, died an infant. And his Lordship deceasing July 20, 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(3d L.) JOHN, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Baronet, June 26, 1611, 9 James I. and Baron Monson, of Burton, in the county of Lincoln, May 28, 1728, 1 George II.

ARMS.] *Or*, two chevrons, *gules*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, sustained by a pillar, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion, *or*, having a collar and chain, *azure*; the collar charged with three crescents of the *first*; on the sinister, a gryphon, *argent*; its collar and chain as the dexter, and its fore legs, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Press pour mon pais*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Burton, in the county of Lincoln; and Broxburn, in Hertfordshire.

GODOLPHIN, LORD GODOLPHIN.

THE Right Honourable FRANCIS GODOLPHIN, Lord GODOLPHIN, succeeded the late Earl of Godolphin, January 17, 1766, as Baron Godolphin of Helston, according to the limitation of the patent granted to Francis, the late Earl of Godolphin, January 23, 1735. He married Barbara, daughter of William Earl of Portland, which lady dying April 1, 1736, he married lady Anne, daughter of John, Earl Fitz-William.

This family took its surname from Godolphin, a hill in the county of Cornwall. They were stiled Lords of Godolphin from the time of the Conquest.

JOHN GODOLPHIN was Sheriff of Cornwall in the 19th of Henry VII. He married Margaret, daughter to John Trenouth, Esq. and by her had William and John.

WILLIAM married Margaret, daughter to John Glyn, and by her had Sir William and Thomas, who married a daughter

daughter of Edmund Bonithon, Esq. and had two sons, Sir Francis and William.

Sir FRANCIS, who was heir to his uncle, Sir William, married first Margaret, daughter to John Killigrew, Esq. by whom he had three sons, William, John, married to Judith, daughter of Thomas Meredith, and Francis, and six daughters; 1. Blanch, married to George Keckwith, Esq. 2. Ursula, married to John Credie, Esq. 3. Thomasin, to Sir George Carew, afterwards Earl of Totness. 4. Jane. 5. Elizabeth. 6. Margaret. He married secondly, Alice, relict of Sir John Glanville. He was succeeded by

Sir WILLIAM, his heir, who died in 1613. He married Thomasin, daughter to Thomas Sidney, Esq. and had three sons, and a daughter Penelope, married to Charles Berkeley, Viscount Fitz-Harding; the sons were, Francis, Sidney, and William.

Sir FRANCIS, the eldest, succeeded his father. He married Dorothy, daughter to Sir Henry Berkeley, and had sixteen children, of which Jael was mother of the late Lord Falmouth; Elizabeth, the eldest, married Sir Arthur Northcote. William Godolphin, his eldest son, succeeded him, and was created a Baronet, April 29, 1661; and left his estate to his nephew, Francis, late Earl of Godolphin; Francis, the second son, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Nicholas Johnson, and widow of Sir Charles Mordaunt; Sidney Godolphin, 3d son; Henry Godolphin, D. D. Dean of St. Paul's, and Provost of Eton-Colleges, 4th son, died January 29, 1733; Charles, 5th son, died July 10, 1720.

(1st. E.) SIDNEY, the 3d brother, August 25, 1684, was promoted to be first Lord of the Treasury, and was created Lord Godolpin of Rialton, and in 1706, was created Viscount Rialton, and Earl of Godolphin, and died on the 15th of April, 1712. He married Margaret, daughter to Thomas Blague, Esq. and by her had

(2d. E.) FRANCIS, his only surviving son, born Sept. 3, 1678, who was, January 23, 1734, created Baron Godolphin of Helston, and to his heirs male, with remainder to the heirs male of his uncle, Henry Godolphin, late Dean of St. Paul's. His Lordship marrying the Lady Henrietta Churchill, eldest of the four daughters, coheirs to John Duke of Marlborough, who, by Act of Parliament, was Duchess of Marlborough, on the demise of her said father,

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father, had by her two sons and three daughters. Of the sons, who were William and Henry, the latter died de young, but the former, stiled Marquis of Blandford, married April 25, 1729, Maria-Catharina, daughter of Peter de Young, a Burgomaster of the province of Utrecht, and sister to the Countess of Denbigh, but had no issue, and died, August 24, 1731. And his Lady, on June 1, 1734; married Sir William Wyndham. Of the daughters, the Lady Henrietta married the Duke of Newcastle; Lady Margaret died young; and Lady Mary was Duchess of Leeds, and died Aug. 3, 1764. His Lady the Duchess of Marlborough, died October 24, 1733: And his Lordship deceasing on January 17, 1766, the titles of Earl of Godolphin, and Viscount Rialton, became extinct; but he was succeeded as Baron Godolphin of Helstone, by Francis Godolphin, son of Dr Godolphin, Dean of St. Paul's; which Henry Godolphin, D. D. Dean of St. Paul's married Mary, daughter of Sidney Godolphin, Esq. by whom he had issue, Henry, his eldest son, who died in 1722; Mary, married to William Owen, Esq. and

(3d E.) FRANCIS, now Lord Godolphin.

CREATION.] Baron Godolphin of Helston, January 23, 1735. 8 George II.

ARMS.] *Gules*, an eagle, with two heads displayed between three fleurs-de-lis, *argent*. [Plate XXIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dolphin, naiant, embowed *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles regardant, with their wings displayed, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Francha Leale Toge*.

CHIEF SEAT.] Baylies, near Windsor.

BROMLEY, LORD MONTFORT.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS BROMLEY, Lord MONTFORT, Baron of Horfeheath, born February 7, 1733, succeeded his father Henry, the late Lord, January 1, 1755. He married February 29, 1772, Miss Blake, sister to Sir Patrick Blake.

The family of Bromley is descended from Sir WALTER BROMLEY, of Bromley in the county of Stafford, Kt. living in the reign of King John; from him descended

WILLIAM BROMLEY, who married Beatrix, daughter of Humphrey Hill, and had issue, 1. George, who marrying Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Lacon, had issue, Sir George Bromley,

Bromley, Chief-Justice of Chester, and Sir Edward, one of the Barons of the Exchequer. 2. Sir Thomas, was Recorder of London, and married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Adrian Fortescue, by whom he had four sons, Sir Henry, Thomas, George, and Edward.

Sir HENRY, eldest son, married, first, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Pelham, by whom he had Sir Thomas, his heir, and three daughters, Elizabeth, Eleanor, and Mary; which last was married to John Prynne; secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Hugh Verney, by whom he had a son, John; his third wife was Anne, daughter of William Besaick, by whom he had issue, Henry, Philip, and Robert.

Sir THOMAS, eldest son by the first wife, married Anne, daughter of Richard Walsb, Esq. and had issue, 1. Henry, 2. John, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Longueville. Henry, the eldest son, married Beatrice, daughter of Sir Richard Newport, and had two sons, Henry and Francis, and a daughter, Diana. Henry married Mercy, daughter of Edward Pytts, Esq. and had two sons, Henry, who died unmarried, and William, who succeeded his father, and married Margaret, daughter of Sir Rowland Berkeley, and left two daughters, Mercy and Dorothy, of which the eldest married JOHN BROMLEY, of Horseheath-Hall in the county of Cambridge, Esq. and dying Aug. 5, 1707, left issue, Henry, their heir; which

(1st L.) HENRY, who was created Lord Montfort, married the sister and sole heir of Sir Francis Wyndham, and had issue a son, Henry, and a daughter, Frances, (who died in May, 1768) married Charles-Sloan, now Lord Cadogan; and his Lordship dying January 1, 1755, was succeeded by his son

(2d L.) THOMAS, now Lord Montfort.

CREATION.] Baron Montfort, May 9, 1741, 14 Geo. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly, per pale, dovetail, *gules* and *or*. [Plate XXIX.]

CREST.] Upon a wreath, a demi-lion rampant, *sable*; issuing out of a mural crown, *or*; holding a standard, *vert*; charged with a gryphon passant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an unicorn cream-coloured, gorged with a ducal coronet, thereto a chain reflected over his back, horned and unguled, *or*. On the sinister side, an horse, *argent*, pelted, collared, dovetail, *azure*; thereon three lozenges, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Non inferiora secutus.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Horseheath, in Cambridgeshire.

HOWE,

HOWE, LORD CHEDWORTH.

THE Right Honourable HENRY-FREDERICK HOWE, Lord Chedworth, and Baron of Chedworth, succeeded John, his brother, May 7, 1762.

This family has been long seated in Somersetshire, Wiltshire, and Gloucestershire. JOHN HOWE, who died in the 16th of Elizabeth, left issue, JOHN, his heir, to whom he bequeathed his manor of Huntspil in the county of Somerset. JOHN, his son and heir, married Jane, daughter of Nicholas Grubham, by whom he had three sons, John, George, and Lawrence, and a daughter, Elizabeth, married to John Baynton, Esq.

George, the second son of John Howe, Esq. was, by King Charles II. created a Baronet; but his son, Sir James, dying without issue, that branch became extinct.

JOHN, the elder brother of George, was created a Baronet in 1660, and by Bridget, daughter of Thomas Rich, had three sons, Sir Richard Grubham Howe; John, ancestor to the present Lord Chedworth; and Sir Thomas Howe; which last married Hester, daughter of Sir William Manwaring, and died without issue.

Sir RICHARD married Anne, daughter of John King, Bishop of London, and relict of John Dutton, by whom he had issue,

Sir RICHARD, who married Mary, daughter of Sir Henry-Frederick Thynne, and, dying without issue in July 1730, wereturn to his uncle, John Howe, second son of Sir John Howe, and brother to Sir Richard-Grubham Howe, the father of the said Sir Richard, who died in 1730: Which

JOHN married Annabella, third daughter of Emanuel Lord Scroop and Earl of Sunderland, and by that marriage became possessed of Langor in the county of Nottingham: By her he had issue Scrope, created Viscount Howe in Ireland, who also succeeded to the Title of Baronet.

JOHN, the second Son, and brother to Scroop, died in 1721. He married Mary, daughter of Humphry Baskerville, relict of Sir Edward Morgan, by whom he left issue,

(1st L.) JOHN, his heir, who was created Lord Chedworth. His Lordship married Dorothy, eldest daughter of Henry-Frederick Thynne, Esq. (which Lady died, aged 90, February 17, 1777) and by her he had six sons and two daughters, John-Thynne, Henry-Frederick, Thomas, who married Frances, daughter of Thomas White, Esq.

Esq. Charles, James, married July 5, 1755, to Miss Howarth, daughter to Sir Humphry Howarth, William, Mary, married to Alexander Wright, Esq. Anne, married to Roderick Gwynn, Esq. and Lucy; and dying in April 1742, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d L.) JOHN-THYNNE, married September 23, 1741, Martha, daughter of Sir Philip-Parker Long; and his Lordship deceasing on May 10, 1762, was succeeded by next brother,

(3d. L.) HENRY-FREDERICK, now Lord Chedworth. CREATION.] Lord Chedworth, Baron of Chedworth, in the county of Gloucester, May 12, 1741, 15 George II.

ARMS.] Or, a fess between three wolves heads couped, *sable*; a crescent for difference, [Plate XXIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dexter arm in armour, erased below the elbow, lying fess ways, and holding in the hand a scimeter erect, all *proper*; hilted and pomelled, *or*; pierced through a boar's head, couped, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS. On the dexter side a lion *argent*, pelleted, armed and langued, *gules*. And on the sinister side an angel, *proper*, the face profile, with brownish hair, habited crimson, the under garment, *azure*, the wings *argent*, pinioned of the fourth.

MOTTO.] *Iustus & propofiti tenax.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stawel, in Gloucestershire; and Wishford in Wiltshire.

EDGE CUMBE, LORD EDGE CUMBE.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE EDGE CUMBE, Lord EDGE CUMBE, Baron of Mount Edgecumbe, succeeded his brother Richard, May 10, 1761. He married, August 6, 1761, Emma, only daughter of John Gilbert, archbishop of York; by whom he has a son, Richard, born September 13, 1764.

This family took its name from Edgecumbe, near Crediton. In the reign of Edward III. WILLIAM DE EDGE CUMBE married Hilaria, daughter and heir of William de Cottehele, of the county of Cornwall, and afterwards chiefly resided there. Sir Richard Edgecumbe was a person of great note in the reign of Edward IV. He married Joan, daughter of Thomas Tremayne, Esq. by whom

he left **PIERS EDGE CUMBE**, his heir, and Joan, married to Fulk Prideaux, Esq. which **PEIRS** married first, Jane, daughter of Stephen Dernford, Esq. and secondly, Catharine, sister to Sir John St. John, Kt. relict of Sir Griffith Rice, Kt. and by her he left no issue. By his first wife he had issue three sons, Richard, John, and James; and three daughters, Elizabeth, wife of John Arundel, Esq. Jane, wife of Thomas Pomeroy, Esq. and Agnes; and dying the 14th of August, 1539, Richard succeeded him; he built the beautiful seat called from him Mount-Edgecumbe. He died the 1st of February, 1562, and was succeeded in his estate by Peter Edgecumbe, who dying January 4, 1607, was succeeded by his eldest son,

Sir **RICHARD**; he died March 22, 1638, and left issue, Peirs and Richard; which Peirs left a son, Richard, who married the Lady Anne Montagu, daughter of Edward Earl of Sandwich, by whom he had issue two sons, John, who died an infant, and Richard; also five daughters: and his Lady married, secondly, Christopher Montagu, elder brother to Charles, Lord Halifax, and, died March 14, 1730.

(1. L.) **RICHARD**, was created Lord Edgecumbe. He married Matilda, daughter of Sir Henry Furnese, Bart. by whom he left issue two sons, Richard and George. His Lordship dying November 29, 1758, was succeeded by his son

(2d L.) **RICHARD**, who deceasing on May 10, 1761, unmarried, was succeeded by his brother,

(3d. L.) **GEORGE**, the present Lord.

CREATION.] April 20, 1742, 16 George II.

ARMS.] *Gules, on a bend, ermine, cottised, or, three boars heads coupéd, argent.* [Plate XXIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a boar passant, *argent*; a chaplet about the neck of oak leaves, fructed, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side, a greyhound, *argent*; gutte-de-poix, collared, dovetail, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Au playfire fort de Dieu.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Mount-Edgecumbe, near Plymouth, in Devonshire.

SANDYS, LORD SANDYS.

THE Right Honourable EDWIN SANDYS, Lord SANDYS, Baron of Ombersley, succeeded his father, the late Lord, April 21, 1770. His Lordship was born April 28, 1726, and married in January 1769, to Anne Maria King, sister to Sir George Colebrooke, and widow of William Paine King, Esq. of Fineshade, in Northamptonshire.

Edwin His Lordship is descended from Dr. EDWIN SANDYS, Archbishop of York, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, of the family of the Sandys of St. Bees in Cumberland, Knights of the Shire for the county of Cumberland, in the reign of Richard II. The Archbishop had six sons; of which, Sir SAMUEL, the eldest, inherited his Father's Manor of Ombersley. He married Mercy, daughter of Martin Culpepper, Esq. by whom he had four sons, and seven daughters, and dying August 18, 1623, left Sir EDWIN SANDYS, his heir, who died on the 6th of September following. He married Penelope, daughter of Sir Richard Bulkeley, by whom he had four sons and three daughters; 1. Samuel, born in 1615; 2. Richard, born in 1616, killed at Edgehill fight, October 13, 1642. 3. Edwin, born in 1617. 4. Martin, born in 1624, after the death of his father. SAMUEL, married Mary, only daughter of Dr. Hugh Barker, by whom he had two sons and a daughter; 1. Samuel. 2. Edwin, died January 8, 1684. 3. Mary, died in 1681, unmarried. Their mother dying in 1651, he married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Packington, Bart. relict of Colonel Henry Washington, by whom he had no issue. He died in 1685, and she in 1698.

Samuel SAMUEL, his eldest son, married Elizabeth, only daughter of Sir John Pettus, by whom he had three sons and four daughters; 1. Edwin. 2. Henry, who died young. 3. Martin, who married Elizabeth, daughter of John Burton, by whom he had five children; he died in January 1753. Elizabeth died young; Penelope was married to Henry Townshend, Esq. Mary married Price, Viscount Hereford; and Frances married Samuel Pytts, Esq. (1st L.) SAMUEL, the eldest, Dec. 20, 1743, was created Lord Sandys. He married Letitia, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Tipping; by her he had seven sons and three daughters;

daughters; 1. Edwin, the present Lord. 2. Cheek, who died in 1737. 3. Thomas, who died in 1728. 4. Martin, a colonel in the army, married June 17, 1760, Mary, daughter of William Trumball, Esq. by whom he had issue, William, Edwin, and Mary. He died December 26, 1768. 5. Letitia. 6. William, who died October 31, 1749. 7. Anne. 8. John, died in 1758. 9. Catharine, who died in 1736. 10. Henry, who died in 1737. His Lordship dying April 21, 1770, was succeeded by his son

(2d. Ld.) EDWIN, the present Lord.

CREATION.] December 20, 1743. 17 Geo. II.

ARMS.] Or, a fess dancette, between three cross crosslets fitchee, *gules*. [*Plate XXIX.*]

CREST.] A gryphon segreant per fess, *or* and *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.) On each side a gryphon per fess, *or* and *gules*, collared dancette of the *last*.

MOTTO.] *Probam non pœnitet.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Ombersley, near Worcester.

FORTESCUE, LORD FORTESCUE,

THE Right Honourable MATTHEW FORTESCUE, Lord FORTESCUE, of Castle-hill, married June 8, 1752, Anne, second daughter of John Campbell, of Calder in Scotland, and of Stackpole-court in the county of Pembroke, Esq. by whom he hath issue; 1. Hugh, born March 12, 1753. 2. Matthew, born April 12, 1754. 3. John, born March 6, 1755. 4. Lucy, born July 29, 1765.

JOHN FORTESCUE signalized himself under Henry V. He married the heiress of William Norfolk, by whom he had Sir Henry Fortescue, Lord Chief-Justice of Ireland, who had three sons: 1. Henry. 2. Richard. 3. John, who in the 20th of Henry VI. was made Lord Chief-Justice of England. His son and heir, Martin, had two sons, John, who died without issue, and William, who married Maud, daughter of John Atkins, and had three sons, John, Edward, and James, and a daughter, Jaquet, married to William Dennis, Esq.

JOHN, the eldest son, married Christian, daughter of John Arscot, and had two sons, William and John, and a daughter Alice, married to John Farry, Esq.

WILLIAM,

WILLIAM, the eldest Son, married Anne, daughter of Sir Roger Gifford, and had five sons and eight daughters. John Fortescue, the son, married Anne, daughter of Walter Parker, Esq. from whom descended Hugh Fortescue, Esq. who married Bridget, sole daughter and heir of Hugh Boscawen, Esq. by Margaret, his wife, daughter, and at length coheir, of Theophilus, Earl of Lincoln and Baron Clinton, by whom he had two sons, Hugh and Theophilus; and by a second wife, Lucy, second daughter to Matthew, Lord Aylmer, he had Matthew, now Lord Fortescue, and a daughter, Lucy, married in 1742 to Sir George Lyttleton, and died on January 19, 1746, and the sisters of Margaret the first wife leaving no surviving issue, the barony of Clinton devolved on

(1st. L.) HUGH, son and heir of the fore-mentioned Hugh and Bridget, who, having demanded a Writ of Summons to Parliament, was on the 16th of March, 1721, called up to the house of Lords (and took his seat according to the ancient Barons Clinton, who by several summons had enjoyed it, and originally on the 6th of February, 1298, the 26th of Edward I.) On the 5th of July, 1746, his Majesty was pleased to advance him to the dignity of Earl Clinton, and Baron Fortescue of Castle-hill, and, in default of issue male, the said title of Baron Fortescue, to descend to Matthew Fortescue, his Lordship's youngest brother, and the heirs male of his body. Theophilus, his Lordship's brother, died unmarried in March, 1746; and his Lordship dying unmarried May 2, 1751, the title of Lord Clinton became extinct, and the Barony of Clinton returned to the Earl of Lincoln, but the Barony of Fortescue descended to his half-brother,

(2d. L.) MATTHEW, now Lord Fortescue.

CREATION.] July 5, 1746.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *azure*, a bend engrailed, *argent*, cottized, *or*; second and third, *argent*, six cross croissants fitchée; on a chief, *argent*, two mullets of the field. [Plate XXX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a plain shield, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two grey-hounds, *argent*, each having a ducal collar, *or*, with a double tressure, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Forte scutum salus ducum.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Filleigh, in the county of Devon; of late called Castle-hill; and Ebrington, in Gloucestershire.

LIDDELL,

LIDDELL, LORD RAVENSWORTH.

THE Right Honourable HENRY LIDDELL, Lord RAVENSWORTH, and Baronet, was created Lord Ravensworth, in the county of Durham, June 29, 1747, 21 Geo. II. he married in April, 1735, Anne, only daughter of Sir Peter Delme, Kt. Alderman of London, by whom he hath issue one daughter, named Anne, married January 29, 1756, to Lord Euston, now Duke of Grafton, from whom she was divorced in March, 1769, and since married to John, Earl of Upper-Ossory.

This family were antiently Lords of Liddel-Castle. THOMAS DE LIDDEL married Margaret, daughter of John de Laburne, and had two sons, Thomas, and George, whose only son died without issue: THOMAS, the eldest, married Barbara, daughter of Richard de Strangeways, and by her had four sons; 1. Francis, whose son and heir died without issue. 2. Thomas. 3. and 4. Robert, and Percival, who died without issue; and two daughters, Alice, married to Oswald Carr, and Barbara, who died young.

THOMAS purchased Ravensworth in 1607. He married first Margaret, daughter to John Watson, Esq. by whom he had Thomas, his heir, and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to William Sherwood; Alice, to Gawen Salkeld; and Eleanor, to Timothy Draper. He married, secondly, Jane, daughter of Henry Midford, Esq. by whom he had, 1. Henry, married to Elizabeth, daughter of William Jennison, Esq. and had a son, Thomas. 2. Roger, married to Grace, daughter of James Clavering, Esq. 3. Barbara, married to Samuel Sanderson. 4. Jane, to Robert Anderson, Esq.

(1st. B.) THOMAS, the eldest son, was created a Baronet. He died in 1650, having married Isabel, daughter of Henry Anderson, Esq. by whom he had six sons and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir George Baker, Mary, to Sir Nicholas Cole, and Isabel, who died unmarried. The sons were, 1. Sir Thomas Liddel. 2. Francis, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir George Tonge, and had issue, Francis. 3. William. 4. Robert. 5. George. 6. Henry, who all died unmarried.

Sir THOMAS died in 1627, before his father, and left issue, by Bridget, daughter to Edward Woodward, Esq. (who, after his decease, married Thomas Henage, Esq.) an only son,

(2d. B.) Sir THOMAS, who succeeded his grandfather, and died in 1697. He had issue by Anne, his wife, daughter of Sir Henry Vane, five sons and three daughters; 1. Sir Henry. 2. Thomas, who died unmarried. 3. Edward, who died young. 4. Robert, who married a daughter of William Kiffin, and had issue, Thomas, and died in 1718; who, by Mary Nelthorpe, his wife, had Henry, his only son, and one daughter. 5. George, who died a bachelor. 6. Frances, married first to Thomas Vane, Esq. eldest brother to Christopher, late Lord Barnard, and secondly to Sir John Bright. 7. Elizabeth, to Christopher Stockdale, Esq. 8. Isabel, who died unmarried.

(3d. B.) Sir HENRY, the eldest, married Catharine, daughter and heir of Sir John Bright, Bt. and had issue, 1. Thomas, who died in 1715, before his father, leaving issue by Jane, eldest daughter of James Clavering, Esq. four sons and a daughter; of which only Henry, now Lord Ravensworth, and Thomas, lived to maturity. 2. John, who was adopted heir to his grandfather, Sir John Bright, and took his name. 3. Henry, who married Anne, daughter of John Clavering, Esq. and died without issue. 4. George, died unmarried, October 9, 1740. 5. Michael, who died unmarried. 6. Elizabeth, married to Robert Ellison, Esq. and had issue, Cuthbert Ellison, Esq. and Sir Henry, their father, dying Sept. 1, 1723, was succeeded by his grandson,

(4th B. and 1. L.) Sir HENRY, who was created Lord Ravensworth.

CREATION.) June 29, 1747, 21 George II.

ARMS.) *Argent, frettee, gules; on a chief of the second, three leopard's faces, or. (Plate XXX.)*

CREST.) On a wreath, a lion rampant, *sable*, crowned, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.) On each side a leopard, *or*, spotted, *purple*, gorged with a mural crown of the *second*.

MOTTO.) *Unus & Idem.*

CHIEF SEATS.) At Ravensworth-castle, and Newton, both in the county of Durham; and Ellington, in Northumberland.

ARCHER,

ARCHER, LORD ARCHER.

THE Right Honourable ANDREW ARCHER, Lord ARCHER, Baron of Umberslade, succeeded his father October 19, 1768; he married in July, 1761, Sarah, daughter of James West, Esq. by whom he had a son, born in December, 1771.

This family have been seated at Umberslade ever since the reign of King Henry II. Andrew Archer, Esq. in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, married Margaret, daughter of Simon Raleigh, and had two sons, Simon, his heir, and Richard. Simon, married Anne, daughter of Sir John Ferrers, by whom he had Thomas, his heir, and three daughters. Thomas married Anne, daughter of Richard Leigh, Esq. by whom he had three sons, Andrew, Thomas, and Leigh; also two daughters, Elizabeth, wife of Sir Herbert Croft; and Frances, wife of Sir Francis Rous. Leigh died unmarried. Thomas died without issue in May, 1743. Andrew died December 31, 1741. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Samuel Dashwood, by whom he had issue three sons, Thomas, Henry, and Daniel, and four daughters, Anne, who died on June 16, 1762, Elizabeth, Sarah, and Diana, which last was married to Thomas Chaplin, Esq. and died December 24, 1765. Henry married in December, 1743, the Lady Elizabeth Montagu, sister to George, Earl of Halifax.

(1st L.) THOMAS, was created Lord Archer, and Baron of Umberslade, in the county of Warwick. He married Catharine, youngest daughter of Sir Thomas Tipping, of Wheatfield in Oxfordshire, Bt. by whom he had issue one son and two daughters; 1. Andrew, the present Lord. 2. Catharine, who married in July, 1750, the Right Hon. the Earl of Plymouth. 3. Anne, married to Edward, Earl of Winterton, March 15, 1756. Her Ladyship died July 20, 1754. and his Lordship deceasing October 19, 1768, was succeeded by his son

(2d L.) ANDREW, the present Lord.

CREATION.] July 14, 1747, 21 George II.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three arrows, *or*. [Plate XXX.]

CREST.] Out of a mural crown, *or*, a wyvern's head, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wyvrens, regardant, *argent*, gorged with a mural crown, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Sola bona quæ honesta.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Umberlade, near Stratford in Warwickshire; and at Pirgo, near Rumford in Essex.

PONSONBY, LORD PONSONBY.

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM PONSONBY, Lord PONSONBY, of Sysonby, and Earl of Besborough and Viscount Duncannon in Ireland.

For the account of this family, see the Earl of Besborough, in the Peerage of Ireland.

BEAUCLERCK, LORD VERE.

THE Right Honourable VERE BEAUCLERCK, Lord VERE, of Hanworth, third son of his Grace, Charles, late Duke of St. Alban's, born July 14, 1699; he was created Lord Vere, of Hanworth, in Middlesex; in April, 1736, he married Mary, eldest daughter and coheirefs of Thomas Chambers, of Hanworth, in Middlesex, Esq. and has had issue, three sons and a daughter; of whom there are now living, 1. Aubrey, who married May 4, 1763, Lady Catharine, daughter of the Earl of Besborough, by whom he has issue, Aubrey, born August 21, 1765; William, born December 18, 1766; Catharine-Elizabeth, born Feb. 20, 1764. 2. Mary, married October 2, 1762, to Lord Charles Spencer, brother to the Duke of Marlborough. (*For a full account of this family, see Duke of St. Albans.*)

CREATION.] Baron Vere of Hanworth, March 28, 1750.

ARMS.] Quarterly; first and fourth, quarterly, France and England with a baton, *gules*, charged with three roses, *argent*; second and third quarterly, *gules*, and *or*, in the first quarter a mullet, *argent*, for Vere. [Plate XXX.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*; turned up *ermine*, a lion passant, *or*, crowned party-per pale, *argent*, and *gules*.

gules, and gorged with a collar, *gules*, charged with three roses, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] The same as the Veres, Earls of Oxford. On the dexter side a boar, *azure*, armed, crined and membered, *or*; on the sinister a harpie, *or*, face and neck, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Vero nil verius.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Hanworth-House, near Isleworth in Middlesex.

WALPOLE, LORD WALPOLE.

THE Right Honourable HORATIO WALPOLE, Lord WALPOLE, of Woolterton in Norfolk, succeeded his father Horatio, the late Lord, February 5, 1757. He married, May 12, 1748, Lady Rachel, daughter of William, Duke of Devonshire, by whom he has had issue. 1. Horatio, born June 24, 1752. 2. William, died December 15, 1764. 3. George, born June 20, 1758. 4. Robert, died young. 5. Catherine, born June 4, 1750. 6. Mary, born October 22, 1754. and married, Aug. 4, 1777, Capt. Hussy.

An account of the family of this noble Lord may be seen at large under the title of Earl of Orford.

(1st L.) HORATIO, Lord Walpole, was second son of Robert, the father of Sir Robert Walpole, who was created Earl of Orford. He married on the 21st of July, 1720, Mary, daughter of Peter Lambard, Esq. by whom he had 1. Horatio. 2. Thomas, who married Nov. 14, 1758, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Joshua Van-Neck, Bt. (which Lady died, June 9, 1760) by whom he had two sons, Thomas-Lambard, Theodore, and two daughters, Catharine-Mary, and Elizabeth. 3. Richard, Banker in London, who married Margaret, daughter of the said Sir Joshua Van-Neck, and by her has Richard, Mary-Rachel, and Caroline. 4. Robert, a Clerk of the Privy-Council. 5. Mary, married to Maurice Suckling, Esq. who deceased June 21, 1766. 6. Henrietta-Louisa. 7. Anne. His Lordship dying February 5, 1757, was succeeded by his son,

(2d L.) HORATIO, the present Lord.

CREATION.] June, 1756, 30 George II.

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ARMS.]

ARMS.] Or, on a fesse, between two Chevrons, *sable*, three cross crosets, a crescent for difference. [Plate XXX.]

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a royal hart, *proper*, charged with a cross croset, and on the shoulder with a crescent, *or*; and on the sinister, a lion rampant, charged with a cross croset, and on the shoulder with a crescent, *sable*.

CREST.] The bust of a man side faced, couped, *proper*, ducally crowned, *or*, with a long cap turning forwards, *gules*, with a catharine wheel thereon, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Fari quæ sentiat.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Woolterton, in Norfolk,

LYTTTELTON, LORD LYTTTELTON.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS LYTTTELTON, Baron LYTTTELTON, of Frankley in Worcestershire, and Baronet, was born January 30, 1744, and succeeded his father, the late Lord, August 22, 1773. His Lordship married, July 8, 1772, Mrs. Peach, widow of Colonel Peach.

This family appears to have been of very ancient standing and considerable rank at South-Lyttelton and Frankley in Worcestershire; for so early as 9 Edward II. Thomas de Luttelton or Lyttelton was chosen Knight of the Shire for that county. His Son Thomas was Esquire of the Body to King Richard II. Henry IV. and Henry V. and his great Grandson, Thomas, was Knight of the Bath, and Judge of the Common-Pleas. This Sir Thomas Lyttelton was the author of the famous Treatise on Tenures, which Lord Coke so learnedly commented upon, and styles its author the English Justinian and Father of the Law. He flourished under King Henry IV. and King Edward V.

Sir THOMAS, grandfather of the present Lord, married May 8, 1708, Christian, daughter of Sir Richard Temple of Stow in Buckinghamshire, Bt. by whom he had six sons and six daughters. 1. George, created Lord Lyttelton. 2. Thomas, who died unmarried April 16, 1729. 3. Charles, Bishop of Carlisle. 4. Richard, who died in his infancy. 5. Another

5. Another Richard, Knight of the Bath, who married December 14, 1745, Rachel, Duchess Dowager of Bridgewater, and daughter of Wriothesly, Duke of Bedford, and died October 1, 1770. 6. William-Henry, created Baron Westcote in Ireland; who married on June 2, 1761, Miss Mary Macartney, by whom he had issue, a son, born in January, 1764; another April 1, 1765, and his Lady died in 1766. 7. Christian, married to Thomas Pitt of Boconnock, Esq. and died June 4, 1750. 8. Anne, married to the late Rev. Francis Ayscough, D. D., and died March 30, 1776. *Bristol.* 9. Mary. 10. Penelope. 11. Amelia; all deceased. 12. Hester, now living unmarried. And Sir Thomas, their father, dying September 14, 1751, was succeeded by his son,

(1st L.) GEORGE, born Jan. 17, 1709, who was created *5 Bar* Baron Lyttelton, and married June 15, 1742, Lucy, daughter of Hugh Fortescue of Filleigh, in Devonshire, Esq. by whom he had issue one son, Thomas, the present Lord, and a daughter named Lucy, married May 10, 1767, to Arthur Viscount Valentia. Their mother dying January 19, 1747, he married a second time, August 10, 1749, Elizabeth, daughter of Field-Marshal Sir Robert Rich, Bt. by whom he has no issue; and deceasing August 22, 1773, was succeeded by his son,

(2d L.) THOMAS, the present Lord. *6 Bar*

CREATION.] Baron of Frankley in Worcestershire, November 19, 1756, 30 George II.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron between three escallops, *sable*. [Plate XXXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a Moor's head in profile, couped, *proper*, with a rowl about the head, *argent* and *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two tritons, or mermen, with tridents, all *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Ung dieu, ung Roy.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hagley-Hall, in Worcestershire, (Frankley-House, the antient seat of the family being burnt in the last civil war) and Over-Arley, in Staffordshire.

PETTY, LORD WYCOMBE.

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM PETTY, Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chepping-Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Fitzmaurice, and Baron of Dunkerron, in the county of Waterford, in the kingdom of Ireland.

For an account of the family of this noble Lord, the reader is desired to see the Earl of Shelburne among the peers of Ireland.

STAWELL, BARONESS STAWELL.

THE Right Honourable MARY STAWELL, Baroness STAWELL, of Somerton in the county of Somerset, was created a peeress, with limitations to her heirs male by her late husband the Right Honourable Henry Bilson Legge, Esq. uncle to the present Earl of Dartmouth.

Her Ladyship was only daughter and heir to Edward, the last Lord Stawell, who died April 13, 1755, (upon whose death the title became extinct) by his wife, Mary, daughter and heiress of Sir Hugh Stewkeley, Bt. who died in July, 1746. She married, September 3, 1750, the Right Honourable Henry Bilson Legge, who died Aug. 23, 1764, by whom she had a son, Henry, born Feb. 22, 1757. Her Ladyship married secondly, in September, 1768, Wills, Earl of Hillsborough.

This Lady is descended from ADAM DE STAWELL, who lived about the time of the Conquest, and took his name from Stawell in the parish of Merlinch, in the county of Somerset, which was the seat of this family till the late John Lord Stawell sold it. Robert Stawell, in 1438, married Elizabeth, daughter of William Wadham, Esq. and by her had Edward, his heir, who married Agnes, daughter to John Cheyney, and had a son Robert, whose wife was Anne, daughter and coheir to John St. Maud, Lord of Northmoulton in Devonshire, and had John, his only son, who married Dorothy, daughter to Sir Edmund Carew. He was succeeded by Richard, his son, whose wife was Alice, daughter to William Powlett, Marquis of Winchester, and by her he had Sir John, his
son

son and heir, who, taking to wife the daughter of Sir Thomas Dyer, by her was father of another John, who married Elizabeth, daughter to George, Lord Audley, and by her he had John, his heir, who married Catharine, daughter to Sir Edward Hext, and by her had two sons, Ralph, his heir, and John,

(1st L.) RALPH, who succeeded, was created Lord Stawell of Somerton, Jan. 15, 1683. He married first, Anne, daughter to John Ryves, Esq. and by her had an only son, John; but by his second wife, who was Abigail, daughter and heir of William Pitt, Esq. he had two sons and four daughters, Elizabeth, Catharine, Lucy, and Diana; of whom the eldest was married to William Bromley, Esq. and the second to William Higden, D. D.

(2d L.) JOHN, who was by the first wife, and succeeded his father August 5, 1689, married Margarec, daughter to James, Earl of Salisbury, and by her (who was afterwards married to Richard Jones, Earl of Ranelagh in Ireland) had a daughter Anne, who was first married to James D'Arcy, grandson to Conyers, Earl of Holderneffe, and next to John Baber, Esq. and died the 3d of August, 1727; and the said John, Lord Stawell, dying on the 30th of November, 1692, in the twenty-fourth year of his age, without issue male,

(3d L.) WILLIAM, his half-brother, succeeded to the title, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter to William Pert, Esq. and Elizabeth, his wife, and heir to her brother, Sir William Forster, of Aldermarston in the county of Berks, Bt. by her, who died in August, 1748, had issue one son, William, who died in France in February, 1740; and a daughter, Charlotte, married first, to one Carlo (an Irish priest); secondly, to Major Hassel; and thirdly, to Ralph Congreve, Esq. His Lordship dying in January, 1742, was succeeded by his brother,

(4th L.) EDWARD; who married in May, 1719, Mary, daughter of Sir Hugh Stewkley, and by her, who died in July, 1740, had a son, Stewkley, who died young, and a daughter,

MARY, the present Baronefs.

CREATION.] Baronefs Stawell, May 19, 1760.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a cross lozenges, *argent*. [Plate XXXVI.]

SUPPORTERS.] Two beasts (by most termed man-tigers) bodied, &c. in form of lions, with human visages, *proper*,

proper, armed with a sort of horn like those of a satyr or goat, and manned and tufted, *or*,

MOTTO.] *En parole je vis.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Aldermarston, in the county of Berks.

WATSON, LORD SONDES.

THE Right Honourable LEWIS WATSON, Lord SONDES, of Lees-Court, in the county of Kent, born November 28, 1728, was advanced to the dignity of a peer as above, May 20, 1760. He married, October 12, 1752, Frances, second daughter of Henry Pelham, brother to the late Duke of Newcastle, by which Lady, who died July 30, 1777, he had issue; 1. Lewis-Thomas, born April 18, 1754. 2. George-Henry, born October 18, 1755. 3. Charles, born March 11, 1758; died April, 1769. 4. Catharine, born January 12, 1761; died young. 5. George, born July, 1769.

His Lordship is brother to Lord Monson, and upon the death of Thomas, late Earl of Rockingham, took the name of Watson.

For a more particular account of this family, see Lord Monson.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*, on a chevron engrailed, *azure*, between three martlets, *fable*, as many crescents, *or*; second and third, *or*, two chevrons, *gules*. [Plate XXXI.]

CREST.] A gryphon's head erased, *argent*, with a ducal coronet, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*; on the sinister, a bear, *argent*, collared *or*.

MOTTO.] *Esto quod esse videris.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Lees-Court, near Faversham, in the county of Kent; and at Rockingham-Castle, Northamptonshire.

ROBINSON, LORD GRANTHAM.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS ROBINSON, Lord GRANTHAM of Grantham, in Lincolnshire, was born Nov. 30, 1738, and succeeded his Father, the late Lord, Oct. 18, 1770.

WILLIAM ROBINSON, a Hamburgh Merchant, who *temp.* Eliz. was twice Lord Mayor of London, was succeeded by his Son, and died in 1616.

WILLIAM, his eldest Son, married the daughter of Sir Henry Jenkins, died in 1626, and left

WILLIAM, his Son, who, by his first wife Mary, daughter of Sir William Bamburg, had a son William, who died without Issue. By his second, Frances, daughter of Sir Thomas Metcalf, he had two sons, Metcalf and Thomas, and three daughters that lived to be married, viz. Elizabeth, to Philip Rycot, merchant; Margaret to William Weddall, Esq, and Frances, to Robert Bell, Esq. He died in 1658.

METCALF, the eldest Son, was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, July 30, 1660; but having no issue by his wife, Margaret, daughter of Sir William D'Arcy, the title expired with him.

THOMAS, his brother and heir, married Elizabeth, daughter of Charles Tancred, Esq. by whom he had two sons, William and Tancred.

(1st Bart.) WILLIAM, his eldest son and heir, was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, 1 William and Mary. He married Mary, daughter of George Aislaby, Esq. by whom he left Sir Metcalf, his successor, Sir Tancred, successor to his brother; William, who died unmarried, and Thomas, of whom hereafter; John, and Anne, second wife of Thomas Worley, Esq. He died in 1736, and was succeeded by his eldest son.

(2d Bart.) Sir METCALF, who died four days after his father, without issue, and was succeeded by his next brother,

(3d Bart.) Sir TANCRED, who married the daughter and heir of — Norton, Esq. by whom he had issue,

(4th Bart.) Sir WILLIAM, Norton and Thomas, all deceased, also four daughters, Mary, Elizabeth, Alatheia and Margaret.

(1st Ld.)

[1st Ld.] THOMAS, fourth son of Sir William the 1st Baronet, was created a Peer. He married Frances, daughter of Thomas Worsley, of Hovingham, in Yorkshire, Esq. by which lady, who died in 1750, he had issue,

1. Thomas, the present Lord. 2. Frances, died in 1758. 3. Anne. 4. Mary, died in 1751. 5. Theresa, married to John Parker, Esq. of Saltram, in Devonshire, and died Dec. 21, 1776. 6. Frederick, born Oct. 11, 1746.

CREATION.] Baron Grantham, April, 1761.

ARMS.] *Vert*, a chevron between three stags, a gaze, *or*. [Plate XXXI.]

CREST.] On a crown fleur-de-lis, a mount *vert*, thereon a stag at gaze, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side a greyhound reguardant, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Qualis ab incepto*.

GROSVENOR, LORD GROSVENOR.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD GROSVENOR, Lord GROSVENOR, Baron Grosvenor of Eaton, in Cheshire, and Baronet, was created a Peer, April 8, 1761. He married, July 19, 1764, Henrietta, daughter of Henry Vernon, of Hilton, in Staffordshire, Esq. by whom he has had issue,

1. Richard, who died an infant. 2. Robert, born March 22, 1767. 3. A son, born May 13, 1768.

GILBERT LE GROSVENOR, attended William the Conqueror in his expedition into England.

RICHARD GROSVENOR, of Eaton, was Sheriff of the county of Chester, in 44 Eliz. 1602, and married Christian, daughter of Richard Brooke, Esq. by whom, he had many sons and daughters. He was succeeded by his second son Richard, who by his wife, Lettice, second daughter of Sir Hugh Cholmondeley, he had issue three daughters, and Sir Richard Grosvenor, the second Baronet, who married in 1628, Sidney, daughter of Sir Roger Mostyn, by whom he had issue, Roger, Thomas, Robert, Hugh, John, Lettice, Catharine, Mary and Sidney. He died Jan. 31, 1664, and was succeeded by

[3d Barr.] ROGER, eldest son of his son and heir Roger, by his wife Christian, daughter of Sir Thomas Myddleton, Knt.

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Knt. He married Mary, daughter of Alexander Davies, Esq. by whom he had issue eight sons and daughters, and was succeeded by

[4th Bart.] **RICHARD**, his second son and heir, who having no issue by his two wives, Jane, daughter of Sir Edward Wyndham, and Diana, daughter of Sir George Warburton, he was succeeded by

[5th Bart.] **Sir THOMAS**, his next brother, who dying unmarried, Jan. 31, 1733, was succeeded by his only brother,

[6th Bart.] **Sir ROBERT GROSVENOR**, who married in May, 1730, Jane, only surviving daughter of Thomas Warre, Esq. by whom he had issue Richard, now Lord Grosvenor. 2. Thomas, who married Sept. 21, 1758, Deborah, daughter of Stephen Skynner, Esq. by whom he has issue, Richard, born October 6, 1762; Stephen, born December 8, 1763; Thomas, born May 30, 1764; Maria-Deborah, born Aug. 30, 1761; Emma, born Sept. 26, 1765. 3. Mary. 4. Elizabeth. 5. Jane, died in 1738. 6. Dorothy, married Feb. 6, 1766, to Asheton Curzon, brother to Lord Scarsdale. He died in 1758, and was succeeded in honour and estate, by his eldest son and heir,

[7th Bart. 1st Ld.] **RICHARD**, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Grosvenor, April 3, 1761.

ARMS.] Azure, a garb, or. [Plate XXXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a talbot, or.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side, a talbot reguardant, or, gorged with a plain collar, azure.

MOTTO.] *Nobilitatis virtus non stemma character.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Eaton-Hall, three miles from Chester; and Halkin-Hall, two miles from Flint.

CURZON, LORD SCARSDALE.

THE Right Hon. **NATHANIEL CURZON**, Lord SCARSDALE, and Baronet, was created a Peer, April 9, 1761, by the title of Lord Scarsdale of Scarsdale, Derbyshire.

His Lordship, in 1751, was married to the Lady ~~Catharine Collyer~~ ^{Caroline} Collyer, daughter to Charles Earl of Portmore, by whom he had issue, 1. Nathaniel, born Sept. 27, 1751.
2. John,

2. John, born Oct. 27, 1757. 3. Charles-William, born March 22, 1758. 4. David-Francis, born July 18, 1761. 5. Henry, born May 24, 1765. 6. Caroline, born May 6, 1753.

This family is recorded amongst those who came over with William the Conqueror, and to whom he gave lands and possessions for their services.

JOHN CURZON, of Kedleston, Esq. was Sheriff of the Counties of Nottingham and Derby, 15 Hen. VI. and was succeeded by Richard, his son and heir, who had issue, John and Henry, and a daughter, Elizabeth. John, died 4 Hen. VIII. leaving issue three daughters, and Richard, his son and heir. Which Richard, left issue four sons, and three daughters, and was succeeded by Francis, his second son, whose son and heir, John, married Millicent, daughter of Sir Ralph Sacheverell, and had issue,

(1st Bart.) Sir JOHN, created Baronet, 17 Car. I. He married Patience, sister of John, Lord Crewe, and had issue, John, Francis and Thomas, who all died without issue; also Sir Nathaniel, and three daughters, Patience, who died unmarried; Eleanor, wife of Sir John Archer; and Jane, married to John Stanhope, Esq.

(2d Bart.) Sir NATHANIEL, only surviving son and successor, married Sarah, daughter of William Pen, Esq. by whom he had issue five sons, 1. Sir John; 2. Sir Nathaniel; 3. Francis; 4. William; 5. Charles, who died without issue. Also four daughters; Sarah, who died unmarried; Jane, wife of Henry Pye, Esq. Elizabeth, who died unmarried, and Eleanor. He died March 4, 1719, and his lady, Jan. 4, 1728. He was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d Bart.) Sir JOHN, who dying unmarried, was succeeded by his brother,

(4th Bart.) Sir NATHANIEL CURZON, Bart. who married Mary, daughter of Sir Ralph Asheton, by whom he had issue three sons, John, who died an infant; Nathaniel, now Lord Scarfsdale and Asheton, who married Esther daughter of William Hanmer, Esq. by whom he had Pen-Asheton, Esther and Mary. He married, secondly, Dorothy, sister of the Lord Grosvenor, and died Feb. 24, 1774. And Sir Nathaniel deceasing in the Year 1758, was succeeded by

(5th Bart,

(5th Bart. 1st Ld.) NATHANIEL, his eldest surviving son, who was created a Peer.

CREATION.] Baron Scarsdale, April 9, 1761.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a bend, *sable*, three popin jays, *or*, collared, *gules*. [Plate XXXI.]

CREST.] A popin jay rising, *or*, collared, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, the figure of Prudence represented by a woman, habited *argent*, mantled *azure*, holding in her sinister hand a javelin entwined with a remora, *proper*; and on the sinister, the figure of Liberty, represented by a like woman, habited *argent*, mantled *purple*, holding a cornucopia *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Recte & suaviter*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Keddleston, near Derby.



IRBY, LORD BOSTON.

THE Right Hon. FREDERICK IRBY, Lord Boston, and Baronet, was born June 28, 1749, and succeeded his father, the late Lord, March 30, 1775. His Lordship married, May 18, the same year, to Miss Methuen, only daughter of Paul Methuen, Esq. of Cornham-House, in Wiltshire, by whom he has a son.

The family of Irby have been long seated in Lincolnshire; Anthony Ireby, by Alice, daughter of Thomas Walbye, of Moulton, Esq. had Sir Anthony, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Peyton, by whom he had issue three sons, Sir Anthony, Edward and Thomas; and two daughters, Alice, first married to Francis Jermy, Esq. and secondly, to Edmund de Grey, Esq. and Elizabeth, who died an infant. He had a second wife, also, by whom he had no issue.

Sir ANTHONY IRBY, Knt. his eldest son and heir, by the first wife, married first Frances, daughter of Sir William Wray, and he had by her a son Anthony, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to George Montagu, Esq. By his second wife, he had no issue.

ANTHONY, his son and heir, married Margaret, daughter of Sir Edward Barkham, by whom he had two sons, Edward, and Anthony, who died in 1696.

EDWARD, his eldest son, was created a Baronet. He married Dorothy, daughter of the Hon. Henry Paget, second

second son of William, Lord Paget (and she died in Oct. 1734) and by her he had a daughter. And

(2d. Bart. 1st Ld.) Sir WILLIAM, who was created Lord Boston, and married August 26, 1746, to Albinia, daughter of Henry Selwyn, Esq. and maid of honour to the Princess of Wales, by which lady, who died April 1, 1769, he had issue, 1. Augusta Georgina Elizabeth, born July 18, 1747. married to Thomas de Grey, Esq. April, 28, 1772. 2. Frederick, the present Lord. 3. William Henry, born August 29, 1750.

CREATION.] Baron Boston, April 4, 1761. 1 Geo. 3. Baronet, April 13, 1704, 3 Anne.

ARMS.] *Argent, fretty sable, on a canton, gules, a chaplet, or.* [Plate XXXII.]

CREST.] A Saracen's head in profile sinister, proper, wreathed, *argent and sable.*

SUPPORTERS.] On either side an antelope, *gules*, gorged with a chaplet, *or.*

MOTTO.] *Honor fidelitatis præmium.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Spalding, in Lincolnshire; and Hedfor, near Beaconsfield.

GRENVILLE, BARONESS CHATHAM.

THE Right Hon. Lady HESTER GRENVILLE, was advanced to the dignity of a Peereſs, Oct. 4, 1761, 1 Geo. III. by the title of Baroneſs CHATHAM of Chatham, in Kent, with limitation to her heirs-male by her present husband.

Her Ladyſhip was daughter to the late Right Hon. Counteſs Temple, and is ſiſter to the preſent Earl Temple; ſhe was married Oct. 16, 1754, to the Right Hon. William Pitt, now Earl of Chatham.

See Earl of Chatham.

ARMS.] *Vert, on a croſs, argent, five torteaux.* [Plate XXXVI.]

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter ſide, a lyon guardant, charged on the breaſt with a ſlip of oak, fruſted, proper; on the ſiniſter, a ſtag, proper, attired, or, gorged, with a collar and chain affixed thereto, paſſing between his fore-legs, and reflected over his back, *sable.*

MOTTO.] *Benigno numine.*

PELHAM

PELHAM, LORD PELHAM.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS PELHAM, Baron PELHAM, of Stanmer, in the county of Suffex, succeeded to this title upon the death of Thomas, the late Duke of Newcastle. He married, in June, 1754, Anne, daughter and heiress of Frederick Frankland, Esq. by whom he has issue; 1. Thomas, born April 8, 1756. 2. Henrietta-Ann, born Sept. 1, 1757. 3. Henry, born July 11, 1759. 4. Frances, born December, 1760. 5. Lucy, born February, 1763. 6. Amelia, born July, 1764. 7. George, born October, 1766. p. 102

Henry Pelham, Esq. grandfather of Lord Pelham, married Frances, daughter of John Bine, of Rowdell, in Suffex, Esq. by whom he had issue, 1. Henry, who died unmarried. 2. John, who died also unmarried. 3. Thomas, father of Lord Pelham. 4. Elizabeth, married to Thomas Pelham, of Catfield-Place, Esq. son & heir of Sir Nick Pelham 5. Grace, married to William Poole, Esq. 6. Frances, married to Francis Poole, Esq. 7. Lucy, married to Talbot, Earl of Suffex. father of this L^d P

Thomas resided many years at Constantinople; he married Miss Anne Bridges, by whom he had issue, 1. Thomas, now Lord Pelham. 2. Harriot, married first, in 1748, to the Honourable Henry Temple, second son of Henry, Viscount Palmerston; and secondly to George, Lord Abergavenny, and she died in 1768.

CREATION.] Baron Pelham, of Stanmer, May 4, 1762.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *azure*, three pelicans, *argent*, vulning themselves, *proper*; second and third *gules*, two demi-garters paleways, *argent*. [Plate XXXIII.]

CREST.] A peacock in his pride, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a bay horse; on the sinister, a bear, *proper*; each collared with a belt, *argent*, buckle and studs, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Vicit amor Patriæ.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Stanmer, in Suffex.

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FOX,

* Henry Pelham 3^d son of Sir In^o P. 3^d Bart. was 2^d bro^r of Tho^s 1st L^d Pelham. & grandfather of Tho^s 1st L^d of this time: he was Clerk of the pells office in the Exch^r and married Frances Bine &c

FOX, LORD HOLLAND.

THE Right Hon. HENRY-RICHARD Fox, Lord HOLLAND, Baron of Holland, in the county of Lincoln, and Baron of Foxley, in the county of Wilts, was born November 23, 1773, and succeeded his father, Stephen, the late Lord, November 26, 1774.

For an account of this family, see Earl of Ilchester.

Henry Fox, brother to the Earl of Ilchester, married May 2, 1744, Lady Georgina-Caroline, eldest daughter of Charles, late Duke of Richmond, by whom he had four sons; Stephen, Henry, who died an infant, Charles-James, born Jan. 13, 1749, and Henry-Edward, born March, 4, 1755.

Her Ladyship was created Baroness Holland of Holland, in Lincolnshire, and to her heirs by Henry Fox, Esq. May 6, 1762; and Henry, her husband, was created Baron Holland of Foxley, in the county of Wilts, April 16, 1763, and dying July 1, 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(2d L.) STEPHEN, who was born February 20, 1745, and succeeded also, as Baron of Holland, in Lincolnshire, on the death of his mother, July 21, 1774. He married April 20, 1766, Lady Mary daughter of John, late Earl of Upper-Ossory, by whom he had Caroline, born November 3, 1767. Mary, born in 1769, died young. Emily also died young, and HENRY-RICHARD, the present Lord; and his Lordship deceasing Nov. 26, 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(3d L.) HENRY-RICHARD, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Holland, of Holland, in Lincolnshire, May 6, 1762. Baron Holland, of Foxley, in Wilts, April 16, 1763.

ARMS.] *Ermine*, on a chevron, *azure*, three foxes heads erased, *or*; on a canton of the *second*, a fleur-de-lis of the *third*. [Plate XXXII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *azure*, turned up, *ermine*, a fox sejant, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a fox, *argent*, tail, nose and feet, *sable*, gorged with a collar compone, *argent* and *gules*, the *first* charged with roses of the *second*: on the sinister,

snister, a like fox, collared as the other, with a chain affixed thereto, or.

MOTTO.] *Vitam impendere vero.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Kingsgate, in Kent; and Holland-house in Middlesex.

PERCIVAL, LORD LOVELL AND HOLLAND.

THE Right Hon. JOHN-JAMSES PERCIVAL, Earl of EGDMONT, Viscount and Baron Percival, in the kingdom of Ireland, succeeded his father, who was created a Peer of Great-Britain, May 7, 1762, by the title of Lord Lovell and Holland, Baron Lovell, and Holland of Enmore, in the county of Somerset.

See Earl of Egmont, among the Peers of Ireland.

D A M E R, L O R D M I L T O N.

THE Right Honourable JOSEPH DAMER, Lord MILTON, Baron Milton of Milton-Abbey, in the county of Dorset; and also Baron Milton of Shrone-hill in the county of Tipperary, in Ireland.. (*See Lord Milton in the Peerage of Ireland.*)

M O N T A G U E, L O R D B E A U L I E U.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD-HUSSEY MONTAGUE, Lord BEAULIEU, was advanced to the dignity of a Peer, by the title of Lord Beaulieu, of Beaulieu, Hants, May 4, 1762. His Lordship is eldest son of James Hufsey, Esq. of Westown, in Ireland. In 1743, he married her Grace, Isabella, Duchess of Manchester, eldest daughter and coheirefs of John, Duke of Montague, and relict of William, Duke of Manchester, and thereupon took the name of Montague, pursuant to an act of parliament. His issue are, 1. John, born January 18, 1747. 2. Isabella, born August 27, 1750, died September 3, 1772.

The family of this noble Lord, is of Norman extraction. Hubert, son of Helen, Countess of Hufsey, came over with William the Conqueror, to England, as Con-

stable of his army. From him descended Sir Hugh de Hofs, or Hufsey, who settled in Ireland in 17 Henry II, and married the sister of Theobald Fitzwalter. He had, by the grant of Hugh de Lacy, the Barony of Deace, in the county of Meath, with other large possessions. From him lineally descended the Hufeys, Barons of Galtrim, and James Hufsey, of Westown, in the county of Dublin, Esq. who died in 1759, having married Catharine, daughter of Richard Parsons, Viscount Ross (which Lady deceased, March 1, 1766) by whom he had issue, Edward-Hufsey, now Lord Beaulieu; Richard, James; and four daughters, Frances, Elizabeth, Mabel, and Mary, wife of James Hufsey, of Galtrim, Esq.

(1st L.) EDWARD HUSSEY, Esq. the eldest son, having married Isabella, daughter of John, late Duke of Montagu, and relict of William Montagu, Duke of Manchester, on the death of his father-in-law, took the name and arms of Montagu, pursuant to an Act of Parliament; and in 1762, was raised to the peerage, with limitation to him and his heirs male, by his said wife, Isabella, Duchess Dowager of Manchester.

CREATION.] Baron Beaulieu, of Beaulieu, Hants, May 4, 1762, 2 George III.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, Montague and Monthermer, quartered, viz. first, *argent*, within a border, *sable*, three lozenges, in fess, *gules*, for Montague; second, *or*, an eagle displayed, *vert*, for Monthermer; third as second, fourth as first. Second and third, *ermine*, three bars, *gules*; on a canton, *argent*, a cross of St. George, for Hufsey. [Plate XXXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head, couped, *or*, beaked and winged, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side a stag, *proper*; collared with a ducal coronet and chain, the latter reflecting over their backs, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Speſtemur agendo.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ditton Park, in Bucks; and Beaulieu, in Hants.

VERNON.

VERNON, LORD VERNON.

THE Right. Hon. GEORGE VENABLES VERNON, Lord VERNON, and Baron of Kinderton, Cheshire, born February 9, 1709, and was created a Peer in 1762. In July, 1731, he was married to Mary, the daughter of Thomas, Lord Effingham Howard, who died in February, 1740, and left issue, 1. George-Venables, born May 9, 1735, who married Louisa-Barberina, daughter of Bussy, Lord Mansel, by whom he has issue, a daughter, Louisa. 2. Mary, married Jan. 5, 1763, to George Adams, Esq. His Lordship married in December, 1741, to his second wife, ~~Mary~~ daughter of Sir Thomas Lee, of Hartwell, in Buckinghamshire, Bart. who died September 22, 1742. He married, thirdly, April 10, 1744, Martha, sister of Simon, Earl of Harcourt, by whom he has had issue, three sons and four daughters; 1. Henry, born April 17, 1747. 2. William, died young. 3. Edward, born October 10, 1757. 4. Elizabeth, born January 21, 1746, married to George, now Earl of Harcourt, September 26, 1765. 5. Catharine, born August 31, 1749. 6. Martha, born December 25, 1751. 7. Anne, born March 2, 1754.

This noble Lord is descended from the Lords of Vernon, in Normandy. Richard de Vernon, Lord of Vernon, accompanied William I. in his expedition for the Conquest of England. Sir Henry Vernon married Lady Anne, daughter of John Talbot, second Earl of Shrewsbury, by whom he had five sons, viz. 1. Sir Richard Vernon, whose line ended in two daughters and coheirs. 2. Thomas, whose line ceased in a daughter and heir. 3. Humphry, whose line failed in 1600. 4. Sir John Vernon, of Sudbury, in Derbyshire, from whom descended Henry, of whom presently. 5. Arthur. 6. a daughter, Elizabeth, wife of Robert Corbett, of Morton-Corbett, Salop, Esq. who lived to see, of her own body, 233 sons and daughters.

HENRY Vernon, above-mentioned, died in 1658, and was father of George Vernon of Sudbury, Esq. father of

HENRY Vernon, of the same place, Esq. who married Anne, daughter of Thomas Pigot, Esq. by Mary his

wife, sister of Peter Venables, the last Baron of Kinder-
 ton (descended from Sir Thomas Venables, Baron of Kin-
 derton, *temp.* Henry VII. 1505. Peter, the last Baron,
 his great-great grandson, had two daughters, his coheirs,
 viz. Catharine, Wife of ~~John~~ Shirley, son and heir of Sir
 Robert Shirley; and Anne, of the Lord Norreys, after-
 wards Earl of Abingdon, who both dying without issue,
 according to his will, his estate would have devolved on
 Anne, daughter of his sister, Mary Pigot, and wife of
 Henry Vernon, all before-mentioned; but Lady Abing-
 don surviving her, upon her decease, the estate came to
 the son of the said Anne, George Venables Vernon, (the
 present Lord Vernon of Kinderton), by whom he had issue,
 George, now Lord Vernon, and Anna-Catharina, mar-
 ried to Richard Lockwood, Esq.

(1st L.) The son, George Venables, was created a
 peer.

CREATION.] May 12, 1762, 2 Geo. III.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *azure*, two bars,
argent. Second, *argent*, a fret, *sable*. Third, *or*, on a
 fess, *azure*, three garbs of the field, [Plate XXXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a boar's head erased, *sable*, du-
 cally gorged, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion, *gules*, col-
 lared and chained, *or*; on the sinister, a boar, *sable*, du-
 cally collared and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Ver non semper viret.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Sudbury, Derbyshire.

DUCIE-MORETON, LORD DUCIE.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS REYNOLDS=DUCIE,
 Lord DUCIE, of Tortworth, in Gloucestershire, suc-
 ceeded his uncle, the late Lord, January 12, 1771, and
 married, February 20, 1774, to Miss Ramsden, daughter
 of the late Sir Thomas Ramsden, of Byrom, Bart.

Of this ancient family, which took their denomination
 from the town of Morton, in the county of Stafford,
 where the family was seated in the reign of King Edward
 I. was Matthew Moreton, of Ingleton, Esq. whose son
 Edward, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Robert
 Ducie,

Ducie, of Tortworth, in the county of Gloucester, Bart. and sister and sole heir to Sir William Ducie of the said place, who was also Viscount Downe in Ireland, with her had several lordships and manors, which fell to

(1st L.) MATTHEW, their son, who was created a Peer by King George I. and his Lordship marrying Arabella, daughter of Sir Thomas Prestage, by her had three sons and four daughters; Elizabeth, first married to Richard Syms, Esq. and secondly, to Francis Reynolds, of Strangers, in the county of Lancaster, Esq. and died September 17, 1755, leaving issue two sons, Thomas, the present Lord, and Francis, married Oct. 10, 1774, to Miss Provis, and a daughter, Arabella, married Dec. 2, 1775, to John Buttersworth, Esq. And of the sons, Rowland-Lewis was Colonel in the foot-guards, and Charles, the youngest, married Anne, daughter to — Wyatt, Esq. and had issue by her, one son, Benjamin, who is deceased. And his Lordship dying May 2, 1735, was succeeded by

(2d L.) MATTHEW, his eldest son. His Lordship foreseeing that in failure of issue male of his own body, and the decease of his brothers, without such issue, the title of Lord Ducie would become extinct, obtained a new patent on April 23, 1763, granting to himself and his heirs male, and in default of such issue, then to Francis Reynolds, Esq. his nephew and his heirs male, the dignity of Baron Ducie of Tortworth; and his Lordship deceasing Jan. 12, 1771, was succeeded by his nephew,

(3d L.) THOMAS REYNOLDS, the present Lord.

CREATION.] June 13, 1720, 6 Geo. I.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron, *gules*, between three square buckles, *sable*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] Out of a wreath, a moor-cock rising, *proper*, comb and wattles, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *argent*, armed, maimed, tufted and hooped, *or*; each gorged with a ducal coronet, party-per-pale, *or* and *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Perseverando*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Spring-park and Tortworth, in the county of Gloucester.

PRATT, LORD CAMDEN.

+ Frances married Robt. Howard Esq. 3. June 1775

THE Right Hon. CHARLES PRATT, Lord CAMDEN, of Camden-Place, in Kent, was created a Peer, July 17, 1765. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Jeffries, of Brecknock-Priory. Esq. by whom he has issue; 1. John-Jeffries, born Feb. 1759. 2. Frances. 3. Elizabeth. 4. Sarah. 5. Jane.

Sir John Pratt was appointed Chief-Justice of the King's-Bench, 5 George I. He married Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Henry Gregory, by whom he had issue, 1. Elizabeth, died unmarried. 2. Grace, married John, Lord Fortescue, of Ireland. 3. Anne, married Edward Gee, Esq. 4. Jane, married to Thomas Taylor, Esq. 5. John, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Jeffry Jeffries, by whom he had issue, John, married to Sarah, daughter of Sir Joseph Eyles; and Elizabeth. He married, secondly, Dorothy, daughter of Robert Tracey, of Coscomb, in Gloucestershire, by whom he had issue one son, Robert, one of the Masters in Chancery.

Sir John Pratt married, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Hugh Wilfon, by whom he had issue; 1. Caroline, married to Herbert Baron de Munster, in Westphalia. 2. Jane, married to Nicholas Hardinge, Esq. 3. Anna-Maria, married to Thomas Lord Dacre. 4. Frances, died unmarried. 5. Thomas. 6. William. 7. Charles, now Lord Camden. 8. Robert, died unmarried.

(1st L.) CHARLES Pratt, Esq. now Lord Camden, in 1759, was chosen Recorder of Bath, and the same year was made his Majesty's Attorney-General. In December, 1761, he was constituted Chief-Justice of the Court of Common-Pleas. His Lordship presided in that Court, with a dignity, weight, and impartiality, never exceeded by any of his predecessors, and on July 30, 1766, upon the resignation of Robert, Earl of Northington, was appointed Lord High Chancellor of Great-Britain.

CREATION.] July 16, 1765, 5 Geo. III.

ARMS.] *Sable*, on a fess between three elephants heads, erased, *argent*, as many mullets of the first. [Plate XXXIII.]

CREST.] An elephant's head erased, *argent*.

SUP-

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a gryphon, *fable*, beak and fore legs, *gules*; on the sinister, a lion rampant, *or*; each gorged with a collar, *argent*, charged with three mullets, *fable*.

MOTTO.] *Judicium parium aut lex terræ.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Camden-place, near Chislehurst, in Kent.

DIGBY, LORD DIGBY.

THE Right Hon. HENRY DIGBY, Lord DIGBY, Baron of Sherborne, in the county of Dorset, and also Baron Digby of Geashill, in King's-county in Ireland. (*See Lord Digby, in the Peerage of Ireland.*)

CAMPBELL, LORD SUNDRIDGE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN CAMPBELL, Duke of Argyll, was, in his father's life-time, created a Peer of Great-Britain, by the title of Baron Sundridge of Coombank, in the county of Kent, and in failure of his issue to the Lords Frederick and William, his brothers, and their heirs, Dec. 22, 1766.

For a particular account of this family, see Duke of Argyll, in the peerage of Scotland.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, girony of eight, *or* and *fable*, second and third, *argent*, a galley with her sails furled, flag and pendants flying, and oars in action, *fable*. (*Plate XXXIII*)

CREST.) A boar's head, couped, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.) Two lions guardant, *gules*.

MOTTO.) *Ne obliviscaris*, or *Vix ea nostra voce*.

CHIEF SEAT.) At Coombank, in Kent.

CAMPBELL, BARONESS GREENWICH.

THE Right Hon. Lady CAROLINE CAMPBELL, Baroness Greenwich, eldest daughter and coheiress of John, Duke of Argyll, born Nov. 17, 1717, and was created a Peeress as above, Aug. 28, 1767, with limitation to her heirs male, by her late husband, the Right Hon. Charles Townshend.

Her Ladyship married first, October 2, 1742, Francis, Earl of Dalkeith, son of the Duke of Buccleugh, who died in April, 1751, in the life time of his father, and left issue; 1. Henry, the present Duke of Buccleugh. 2. Campbell, who died in 1766. 3. Lady Frances. Her Ladyship married secondly, Aug. 15, 1755, Charles Townshend, brother to George, Viscount Townshend, who died September 4, 1767, and left issue; 1. Thomas. 2. William-John. 3. Anne.

For an account of her Ladyship's family, see Duke of Argyll, in the Peerage of Scotland.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, girony of eight, *or* and *sable*, second and third, *argent*, a galley with her sails furled, flag and pendants flying, and oars in action, *sable*. [Plate XXXVI.]

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion guardant, *gules*, on the sinister a stag, *sable*, each having a collar, *azure*, charged with three escallop shells, *or*.

OSBORNE, LORD OSBORNE.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS GODOLPHIN OSBORNE, Marquis of Carmarthen, eldest son of the Duke of Leeds, was called up by writ to the House of Peers, by the title of Baron Osborne, of Kiveton, May 14, 1776, and takes precedence according to the date of that Barony.

For an account of his Lordship's family, see Duke of Leeds.

Arms, Crest, and Supporters, the same as those of his father, the Duke of Leeds.

GUNNING,

GUNNING, BARONESS HAMILTON.

THE Right Hon. ELIZABETH GUNNING, Baroneſs Hamilton of Hamildon, in the county of Leiſceſter, was created a Peereſs, May 14, 1776, with the dignity of Baron Hamilton to her heirs male. Her Ladyſhip was daughter of John Gunning, Eſq. by Bridget, daughter to John, Viſcount Mayo, and married firſt, February 24, 1752, James, the late Duke of Hamilton. Her Ladyſhip married ſecocdly, March 3, 1759, John, now Duke of Argyll. (*See Dukes Hamilton and Argyll.*)

ARMS.] *Gules*, on a feſs, *argent*, three croſſes patteé of the field, between as many martlets, *or*. [*Plate XXXIV.*]

SUPPORTERS.] The dexter, a ſphinx, *or*, ſemeé of croſſes, patteé, *gules*, the face, *proper*. The ſiniſter, a country-man, *proper*, bearing a ſtandard, *gules*, charged with a martlet and bordure, *or*.

HUME CAMPBELL, LORD HUME.

THE Right Hon. ALEXANDER-HUME CAMPBELL, eldeſt ſon of the Earl of Marchmont, was created May 14, 1776, Lord Hume of Berwick.

For an account of this family, ſee Earl of Marchmont, in the Peerage of Scotland.

Arms, Creſt, and Supporters, the ſame as thoſe of his father.

STUART, LORD CARDIFFE.

THE Right Honourable JOHN STUART, eldeſt ſon of the Earl of Bute, was created Baron Cardiffe, of Cardiffe Caſtle, in Glamorganshire, May 20, 1776.

For an account of this family, ſee Earl of Bute, in the Peerage of Scotland.

Arms, Creſt, and Supporters, the ſame as the Earl of Bute.

HAWKE,

HAWKE, LORD HAWKE.

THE Right Honourable EDWARD HAWKE, Lord HAWKE, Admiral of his Majesty's Fleet, was born February 21, 1716, and was created May 20, 1776, Baron Hawke, of Towton, in Yorkshire. He married Catharine, daughter of Walter Brooke, of Burton-Hall, in Yorkshire, Esq. by which Lady, who died in October, 1756, he had issue; 1. Martin-Bladen, born April 20, 1744, married, February 6, 1771, to Cassandra, daughter of Sir Edward Turner, and has two sons, Edward and Martin-Bladen, and one daughter, Cassandra. 2. Edward, died in 1773. 3. Chaloner, died September 18, 1777. 4. a daughter, Catharine, born in 1752.

Edward Hawke, of Lincoln's-Inn; Esq. married Elizabeth, daughter of Nathaniel Bladen, sister of Colonel Bladen, and widow of Colonel Ruthven, by whom he had Edward, now Lord Hawke, and Frances, the wife of — Maule, Esq. son of Henry Maule, Bishop of Dromore.

CREATION.] Baron Hawke, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron, *ermine*, between three boatswain's whistles, *proper*. [Plate XXXIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a falcon rising, *proper*, with a fleur-de-lis on his breast.

SUPPORTERS.] Dexter, Neptune crowned with an Eastern crown, standing on a dolphin, holding in his right hand a trident, *proper*. Sinister, a sea-horse, holding with his dexter paw a flag.

MOTTO.] *Strike*.

CHIEF SEAT.] Towton in Yorkshire.

AMHERST, LORD AMHERST.

THE Right Hon. JEFFERY AMHERST, Lord AMHERST, was created Baron Amherst, of Holmesdale, in Kent, May 20, 1776. He married first, Jane, daughter of Thomas Dallison, Esq. of Manton, in Lincolnshire, who died January 7, 1765, and secondly, March 26, 1767, Elizabeth, daughter of the Hon. General George Cary, brother to Viscount Falkland.

JEFFERY

JEFFERY AMHERST, of Riverhead, in Kent, Esq. married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Kerrill, of Hadlow, in Kent, Esq. by whom he had 1. Sackville, who died unmarried. 2. Elizabeth, wife of the Rev. John Thomas. 3. Margaret, died unmarried. 4. John, married Anne, daughter of Thomas Lindzee. 5. Jeffery. 6. 7. and 8. Thomas, Sidney, and Charles, died young. 9. William, married Elizabeth daughter of Thomas Patterson, Esq. and has William-Pitt, born in 1773; Elizabeth, born in February, 1774, and Harriot, born in 1775.

(1st L.) JEFFERY, the second surviving son, was Knight of the Bath, Commander in Chief of the Forces in America, from 1758 to 1766, and was created Baron Amherst.

CREATION.] Baron Amherst, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Gules*, three tilting spears, second and first erect in pale, *or*, heads, *argent*, [Plate XXXIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mount vert, thereon three tilting spears; one in pale; two in saltire, banded circular with an olive branch, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Dexter, an Indian in his warlike dress, his feet in fetters, and a chain affixed to his exterior wrist, holding a Tomahawk. The sinister as the dexter, with a scalp on his Tomahawk, all *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Constantia et Virtute.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Montreal, near Seven-oaks, in Kent.

BROWNLOW, LORD BROWNLOW.

THE Right Hon. BROWNLOW CUST, Lord Brownlow, was created Baron Brownlow, of Belton, in Lincolnshire, May 20, 1776. He married first, October, 16, 1770, Jocola-Catharina, daughter of Sir Thomas Drury, by which Lady, who died February 11, 1772, he had Etheldred-Anne, born July 22, 1771; he married secondly, August 31, 1775, Miss Banks, only daughter of the late Sir Henry Banks, and has a daughter, Frances, born October 3, 1776.

This family was antiently seated in Yorkshire, and removed to Pinchbeck in Lincolnshire, about four hundred years ago. Richard Cust, Esq. was created a Baronet by King Charles II. September 29, 1677. He married Beatrix, daughter and heir of Thomas Purey, of Kirton, in

in the said county, Esq. by whom he had only one son, who lived to have children, viz. Purey Cust, Esq. and two daughters, Elizabeth, married to John Cockayn, of Cockayn-Hatley, in the county of Bedford, Esq. and Jane, married to John Proby, of Elton, in the county of Huntingdon, Esq.

Sir PUREY CUST had two wives, first Ursula, daughter and heir of Edward Woodcock, of Newtimber, in Suffex, Esq. by whom he had several children, who all died young, except one son, Sir Richard, his successor, and two daughters, Mary, married to Robert Thompson of Standground, in the county of Huntingdon, Esq. and Ursula, married to Richard Newton, Esq. His second wife was Alice; one of the daughters and coheirs of William Saville, of Newton, in the county of Lincoln, Esq. by whom he had likewise several children, but they all died in their infancy, except the youngest, viz. Saville Cockayn Cust, Esq. Sir Purey died in his father's lifetime, so that Richard, Sir Purey's eldest son, succeeded his grandfather. This Sir Richard Cust, married Anne, daughter of Sir William Brownlow, Bart. and sister to the Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Tyrconnel, and died July 25, 1734, having had issue of his said Lady, five sons, 1. Sir John, his successor. 2. William, who died unmarried. 3. Francis, a counsellor at law. 4. Peregrine, a merchant of London. 5. Richard, a Canon of Christ-church. The daughters were two Annes, who died young; Elizabeth; Jane, first married to Francis Fane, of Fulbeck, in Lincolnshire, Esq. secondly to James Evelyn, Esq. Dorothy and Lucy, unmarried. Sir Richard was succeeded by his eldest son, Sir John Cust, Bart. who was chosen Speaker of the House of Commons in two parliaments, and died the 24th of January, 1770. He married December 8, 1743, Etheldreda, daughter of Thomas Payne, of Houghton on the Hill, in the county of Lincoln, Esq. by whom he had issue, one son, Brownlow, now Lord Brownlow, and two daughters, Anne, and Elizabeth, who married Philip Yorke, of Denbighshire, Esq. and has five children.

CREATION.] Baron Brownlow, of Belton, in Lincolnshire, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *ermine*, on a chevron, *sable*, three fountains, *proper*; second, *or*, an *escutcheon*

chutchion between eight martlets, in orle, *sable*; third, *sable*, a fess, *ermine*, in chief, three croslets pattee fitché, *argent*. [Plate XXXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath a lion's head erased, *sable*, gorged with a collar componé, *argent* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions reguardent, *argent*, gorged with collars, *gules*, buckled, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Opera illius mea sunt*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Carby, and Grantham, in Lincolnshire.

PITT, LORD RIVERS.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE PITT, Lord RIVERS, was created Baron Rivers, May 20, 1776. He married Penelope, daughter of Sir Richard Atkins, by whom he had one son and three daughters, 1. George. 2. Penelope. 3. Louisa, married to Peter Beckford, Esq. 4. Marcia.

This family hath been of long standing in the county of Dorset. Sir William Pitt married Edith, daughter of Nicholas Cadbury, Esq. and died in 1636, leaving three sons; Edward the eldest married Rachel, daughter of Sir George Morton, and had ten sons and four daughters. George, the eldest surviving son, married Lady Jane Chandos, daughter of John, Earl Rivers, and relict of George, Lord Chandos, and had one son, George, who, by his first wife, Lucy, daughter of Thomas Pile, Esq. had George, who married Louisa, the daughter of ——— Bernier, and left issue two sons, George, the present Lord Rivers, and William-Augustus, a General in the army, who married Mary, daughter of Scrope, Viscount Howe, also a daughter, Lucy, married to James Kerr, Esq.

CREATION.] Baron Rivers, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a fess chequé, *or* and *azure*, between three bezants. [Plate XXXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a stork close, *argent*, beaked and membered, *or*, his right foot rested on an anchor crest, cabled, *or*.

SUP-

SUPPORTERS.] The dexter, a falcon, with wings displayed, the sinister, an unicorn, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Æquam servare mentem.*

CHIEF SEAT.] Stratfieldsea, in Hampshire.

RYDER, LORD HARROWBY.

THE Right Hon. NATHANIEL RYDER, Lord HARROWBY, Baron of Harrowby, in the county of Lincoln, was created a Peer May 20, 1776. His Lordship married, in January, 1762, Elizabeth, daughter of the late Right Rev. Richard Terrick, Bishop of London, by whom he has issue now living, 1. Dudley, born in Dec. 1762. 2. Richard, born in July, 1766. 3. Elizabeth, born in 1767.

The family of Rythre, Ryther, or Ryder, (for the name has been variously written at different periods) has been long established in Yorkshire, and took their name from Ryther in the hundred of Barkston, in that county.

It appears from Dugdale's Baronage, that William de Rythre, was summoned to parliament, among the Barons of the realm, from the 21st of Edward I. till the 1st of Edward II. and that he was succeeded by John de Rythre, Governor of Shipton-castle; but it does not appear that he, or any of his descendants, was ever summoned to our Parliament.

Sir WILLIAM RYTHER, of Ryther, Kt. was High-Sheriff of Yorkshire, in the 5th and 9th of Henry VI. and his descendants frequently bore that office in that reign, and in those of Edward IV. and Henry VII.

Sir RALPH RYTHER, of Ryther, Kt. (who was Sheriff of Yorkshire, 19 Henry VII.) had a daughter named Eleanor, who married John Ashe of Angleton, Esq. and he, in her right, became possessed of the Lordship of Ryther, together with other lands.

Sir DUDLEY RYDER, Kt. father of the present Lord Harrowby, was born in the year 1691, after receiving a good school education, he went to the University of Edinburgh, and from thence to that of Leyden. On his return to England he settled in the Temple, where he studied the laws of his country, with that assiduity and attention, which

which laid the foundation of his future rise in his profession. He was made Solicitor General in 1733. In 1736, he was advanced to the office of Attorney-General, and he discharged with integrity and ability the duties of that laborious situation, during a period of about 18 years. In 1754, he was appointed Chief-Justice of the Court of King's-Bench. In 1756, his late Majesty, in reward of his long and faithful services, determined to raise him to the dignity of Peerage, a warrant was accordingly signed by the King for that purpose, the 24th of May, 1756, but he died on the following day, before the patent was compleated. He married Anne Newnham, the daughter of Nathaniel Newnham, Esq. of Strettham, in Surry, by whom he left one son,

(1st L.) NATHANIEL, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Harrowby, of Harrowby, in the county of Lincoln, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three crescents, *or*, each charged with an ermine spot, *sable*. [Plate XXXIV.]

CREST.] Out of a mural crown, *or*, a dragon's head, *argent*, thereon an ermine spot.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side a griffin, *argent*, collared, *azure*, thereon three crescents, *or*, chained, on the breast, an ermine spot.

MOTTO.] *Servata Fides cineri*.

CHIEF SEATS.] Sandon, in Staffordshire, and Norton, in Gloucestershire.

FOLEY, LORD FOLEY.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS FOLEY, Lord FOLEY of Kidderminster, was born July 7, 1742, and succeeded his father, the late Lord, Nov. 18, 1777. He married, March 20, 1776, Lady Harriet, daughter of the Earl of Harrington, and has a daughter, Georgina-Harriet, born March 23, 1777.

THOMAS FOLEY, of Stoke-Edith, in Herefordshire, married first, Hester, daughter of Thomas Andrews, Esq. and by her, who died in 1717, he had Thomas, and another son, who died young; his second wife was Mary, daughter of John Warteis, Esq. by which Lady, who died in 1721, he had Robert, D. D. married to Anne, daughter

ter of the Rev. William Dowdeswell, and Sarah, married to Andrew Foley, Esq.; his third wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Wolstenholme, Esq. by which Lady, who died in 1725, he had one son, Paul-Jermyn Foley, L. L. D. his fourth wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Unitt, Esq. and his fifth was Catharine, daughter of Francis Gwyn, Esq. by the two last he had no issue.

(1st L.) THOMAS, the eldest son, born August 10, 1716, was created a Peer, by the title of Baron Foley, May 20, 1776. He married, in March, 1740, Grace, daughter of George Granville, Baron Lansdown, by which Lady, who died November 1, 1769, he had
1. Thomas, born July 7, 1742, now Lord Foley.
2. Edward, born March 16, 1747. 3. Andrew, married to Elizabeth Foley, abovementioned, and has three daughters, Elizabeth, Grace, and Harriet. 4. Grace, born January 1744, married to James, Earl of Clanbraffill. 5. Mary. 6. Anne, married in 1766, to Edward Winnington, Esq. and his Lordship deceasing Nov. 18, 1777, was succeeded by his son

(2d L.) THOMAS, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Foley, of Kidderminster, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a fess engrailed between three cinquefoils, all within a border, *sable*. [Plate XXXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion sejant, *argent*, holding between his paws an escutcheon, with the arms of Foley.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent*, semée of cinquefoils, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Ut proffim*.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stoke-Edith, Herefordshire, and Great-Whitley, Worcestershire.

SCHULENBERG, COUNTESS OF WALSINGHAM.

THE Right Honourable MELESINA DE SCHULENBERG, Countess of WALSINGHAM, and Baroness of Schulenberg and Aldborough, was created Countess of Walsingham, in the county of Norfolk, and Baroness of Aldborough,

Aldborough, in the county of Suffolk, April 7, 1722, 8 George I. She married, September 5, 1733, the Right Honourable Philip-Dormer Stanhope, late Earl of Chesterfield, by whom she has no issue.

ARMS.] Two coats, quarterly, viz. first and fourth, *or*, a lamb passant in fess, quartered, *gules* and *argent*, ensigned on the head with three standards of the second; second and third, *argent*, three eagles couped at the thigh, *gules*. [Plate XXXV.]

SUPPORTERS.] Two savages, each holding a club over his arm, and wreathed about his temples and loins with ivy, all *proper*.

N. B. Her Ladyship takes precedence of Earl Graham, and should have followed next after the Earl of Pomfret.

Attest, in the County of Washington, State of Washington, this 1st day of August, 1911, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, personally appeared the within and subscribed parties, who being duly sworn, depose and say that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the same, as the same appears from the records of the County of Washington, State of Washington, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the original of the same, as the same appears from the records of the County of Washington, State of Washington.



Witness my hand and seal, this 1st day of August, 1911.

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